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Budget Asks Quarter Less Than 4 Billion

Federal Budget Total Shows Fifty-Nine Millions Decrease—Some Departments Increased. —Pension Bureau Is Cut.

Washington, Dec. 1—The cost of running the federal government in the fiscal year 1926 was fixed by President Coolidge in the annual budget sent to Congress today at $3,729,519,516.18, or a reduction of $59,225,931.72 from the estimated expenditures of the current year.

The estimates of six major departments or other agencies of the government—Interior, Navy, War, Treasury, Shipping Board and Veterans Bureau—were reduced in the new budget while there was only one notable increase—that for the Department of Agriculture.

PENSION BUREAU

Practically all of the $26,000,000 reduction in the Interior Department total was due to the smaller allotment for the Pension Bureau. That bureau's outlay was cut from $224,000,000 for the current year to $190,000,000 for next year, largely because of the decreasing pension roll resulting from the death of pensioners.

The cut of $23,000,000 in the Navy's total was scattered over many items of expenditure, but a large part of it was due to a reduction of the fund set aside under the heading of "Increase of the Navy." It is understood supplemental estimates for needed construction will go to Congress later.

MARINES REDUCED

The budget Director's report to the President declared that under the treaty allowed the Navy can continue at its present enlisted strength of 86,000 men, the Marine Corps will have provision for 1500 men instead of the present 19,500, the naval reserve force will continue on practically the present basis. It will be possible to increase the average steaming range of battleships from 10,400 miles to 23,700, two more of the submarines authorized in 1916 can be laid down, new aircraft can be purchased, and it will be possible to continue work "at a normal rate of speed on all new ships under construction within the limitation of authorized cost."

There were scattered reductions totalling $8,600,000 in the War Department's allowance, but no particular branch of the military service was singled out for reduced appropriations. Under the total authorized the Budget Bureau declared, the regular army can continue on its present basis of 12,000 officers and an average enlisted strength of 118,000, the number of reserve officers who can be trained will remain about the same; attendance at the citizens training camps must be limited to 29,000 instead of 33,900 in the current year, and the Militia Bureau will be able to maintain an average strength of 173,500, a reduction of 3,500 from the present authorization.

AIR SERVICE.

The Air Service allotment was increased from $14,900,000 for the current year to $17,000,000 during the coming year to "enable the Air Service to make reasonable progress toward cutting down its present shortage in heavier than air craft and at the same time assist in keeping alive the aircraft industry for use in time of emergency." The total fixed for rivers and harbors improvement—$59,277,990—is practically the same as for the present year.

It was in the Veterans Bureau estimate that the Budget Director made his biggest cut under the figures submitted a year ago. A net total of $73,000,000 was lopped off, in spite of increases in some departments of the Bureau's activities.

The factors which more than offset these increases included a drop from $80,000,000 to $38,000,000 in vocational rehabilitation, due to the decreasing necessity for giving vocational training to men wounded in the war; a reduction from $127,500,000 set aside a year ago for possible use in bonus payments, to $62,000,000 which the Budget Director estimated would be sufficient to carry the payments through next year if applications continue to come in at their present slow rate; and a $7,000,000 reduction in the amount set aside for hospital construction.

No Red Ink Figures in U.S. Books, Coolidge Announces

Washington, Dec. 1—President Coolidge informed Congress today that present estimates point to a surplus of revenues over expenditures of $67,884,489 for the present fiscal year and of $373,743,714 for the fiscal year 1926, but he advised against any further tax reduction until definite results from the present tax law are known.

"If we continue the campaign for economy, we will pave the way for a further reduction in taxes," the President said in a special message submitting the annual budget. "This reduction cannot be effected immediately. Before it is undertaken, we should know more definitely by actual operations what our revenues will be under our present tax law. But the knowledge of our revenue under the existing law will avail us nothing if we embark any new large expenditure program."

THE ESTIMATES

The estimates for the principal expenditures for the next fiscal year as compared with estimated expenditures for the present twelve months follow:

	1926.	1925
Public debt (interest)	$530 000 000	$565,000,000
Public debt (reduction of principal)	484,706,130	471,906,401
Post office Department	637,878 005	618 848 195
War Department	338 551,280	347,153 304
Navy Department	289 783 078	313 247 293
Interior Department	287,785,306	294 319,103
Treasury Department	103,847,741	180 858 100
Agriculture Department	140,092 750	78 047 186
Commerce Department	22 741 511	23 842 535
Justice Department	24 017 822	22 629 016
State Department	16 120,652	16 264 756
Labor Department	8,833 260	8 678 846
Veterans' Bureau	403 700 000	484 937 398
Shipping Board	24,330 000	30 544 000
Interstate Commerce Commission	4 813 500	4 641 884
Tariff Commission	721 500	663,240
Federal Trade Commission	950,000	1 010,000
Vocational Education Board	8 222 270	7 324 000
White House Executive Offices	439 960	441,367
Senate	2 559 249	2 534 879
House	6,396 751	6 405,088
District of Columbia	32 335 827	30 354 115

GOVERNOR SMALL DEFEATED JONES 345,028 VOTES

Coolidge Carried Illinois By 876,364.

Springfield Ill., Dec. 1.—President Calvin Coolidge carried the state of Illinois by a plurality of 876,364, according to figures announced by the state canvassing board in session Monday afternoon in the office of Gov. Len Small.

The board approved the vote cast at the election of Nov. 4, for president and vice president, members of the house and senate and on the various propositions which were submitted.

TOTAL VOTE.

The president received a total vote of 1,436,321. Secretary of State Louis L. Emmerson set a record by receiving 1,378,156, which is more than the total vote of President Coolidge and 57,976 more than Illinois gave to Harding in 1920, the record up to that time. Charles S. Deneen was elected to the U. S. senate by 642,478 votes, and Gov. Small was re-elected by 345,028 votes.

Lieutenant-Governor Fred H. Sterling's plurality was 775,12 and State Treasurer Oscar Nelson was elected state auditor by 823,355 votes.

PASTOR SAYS JOHN D.'S MONEY CURSE

New York, Dec. 2—The Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist church called the Rockefeller money "the greatest curse that rests today on the Baptist denomination."

MORTIMER TELLS OF 'BRIBE" MONEY

Chicago, Dec. 2—(AP)—Another full day of testimony by E. H. Mortimer "the government's paid informant" in the Forbes-Thompson trial, was in prospect today. Mortimer's story of the alleged conspiracy between Charles R. Forbes, former Veterans Bureau head, and J. W. Thompson, St. Louis contractor, to divide the profits of veterans bureau hospital contracts, was interrupted by adjournment yesterday.

He had reached the story of the Pacific coast inspection trip of Forbes, J. W. Black, a business associate of Thompson and himself, and conference of contractors there on division of the contracts.

$150,000 ADDED.

It had been arranged with Forbes, Mortimer said, about the allocation of the western hospital contracts and whoever got them was to add $150,000 to the bid, or the cost if done under cost-plus, of which Forbes, Charles Hurley of Seattle, and the Thompson-Black group were to receive $50,000 each.

For several hours, under the guidance of John W. H. Crim, special assistant attorney general, Mortimer detailed the meetings and agreements by which the profits of hospital contracts were to be divided.

As the agent of the Thompson-Black group, Mortimer testified he was to receive 35 percent of their profits on veterans bureau hospital contracts he helped to obtain from Forbes, and he promised Forbes half of this.

DAWES PLAN FOR JUSTICE

Robinson Explains How Proposal Covers Field.

Los Angeles, Dec. 2—How the Dawes plan works was explained to a joint session of the International Chamber of Commerce and the United States Chamber of Commerce in connection with the opening of the latter's second western division midyear meeting here today, by Henry M. Robinson, president of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, member of the so-called Dawes committees on German reparations, and during the past five months collaborator with Owen D. Young in putting the Dawes plan into effect.

Robinson said in part:

WORK LIMITED.

"The work of the committees was limited to the stabilization of German currency, the bringing about of budget equilibrium, and payment of reparations. It was felt that the burden of the people of Germany, as a result of their action in the war, should certainly not be less than the burden of the people of the victorious nations.

"It was recognized through the devaluation of her mark, her industries had freed themselves from debt and that for a time this fact was advantageous to industries in competition with other countries where the industries were burdened with debt.

"The difficult thing was to burden the German producers in an amount that was commensurate with the producers of the allied countries and still leave them a fair standard of living.

ITS CONTEMPLATIONS

"The Dawes plan contemplated:

"A—The creation of a bank of issue, with authority to issue currency against a gold backing, this gold backing to come from the sale of stock in the bank.

"B—Organization of a railroad company to take over all the German railroads, which we valued at 26 billion gold marks.

"C—The creation of an industrial bank and through it the handling of a capital levy of five billion gold marks.

"D—The creation of a revenue control, that is, taxes on tobacco, alcohol, beer and sugar, to be collected and applied on reparations.

FIRST ANNUITY.

"The first year's reparations annuity is one billion gold marks, the second year's annuity 1,220,000,000 gold marks and third year's annuity 1,200,000,000 and the fourth 1,750,000,000 and the fifth year's or standard year, which it is expected will continue subject only to the prosperity index, will be the minimum from that time and subject to increase in the prosperous years, is nearly 2,500,000,000 gold marks.

"The plan was submitted to the reparations commission and adopted in its entirety."

THE HEALTHIEST BOY FOLLOWS THIS SCHEDULE

Chicago, Dec. 2—The healthiest American boy at eleven years of age goes to bed at 8.55 p. m.; arises at 7:05 a. m., drinks 1.4 glasses of milk daily, brushes his teeth five out of seven days each week and goes to the dentist once in two years, according to the picture drawn by Lorne W. Barclay of Valparaiso, Ind., vice-president of the Children's Foundation, before the International Boys' Work Conference here tonight.

The picture was based upon a survey the Foundation has just made among American boys.

"The most dangerous years of a boy's life are during his first year and after his seventieth," Mr. Barclay said. "Thus, the death rate under one year of age is 84 per 1,000. At twelve years, it is 2.2. At 72 it is 65.4. The safest period is at ten, eleven and twelve years. These are the ages with the lowest death rates in the entire life span.

SINGER TO TELL OF CHOICE BY RADIO

Chicago, Dec. 2 — Suitors of Miss Virginia Johnson, an artist who for two years has been singing in the Chicago Theater Saturday night revue broadcast by WMAQ, have been asked to tune in the night of Dec. 16 on station WEBH to listen to the announcement of her engagement in song.

Miss Johnson has received dozens of proposals of marriage and she has elected to use the source of her only acquaintance with most of the writers to sing the name and merits of her choice.

SEEK WOMAN AS MATE'S POISONER

Chicago, Dec. 2 — Police today sought Mrs. Bernice Zalim, after a coroner's chemist reported he had found "poison enough for ten" in the stomach of Dominick Zalim, to whom she was married July 4, and who was thought a pneumonia victim.

CONGRESS IN 2ND DAY OF MARKING TIME

Neither House Sees Hard Work Until Wednesday.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Another brief program has been arranged today for congress.

Awaiting the annual budget report and the president's message, neither house planned to get down to serious work before Wednesday.

Upon being advised formally yesterday of the opening of the final session of 68th congress, Mr. Coolidge advised leaders the report on the state of the treasury and on estimates for the next fiscal year would be transmitted today. His annual message will be sent tomorrow.

SUPPLY BILLS.

Coincident with the receipt of the budget, the appropriations committee was ready to present to the house the first of the annual supply bills, the passage of which is the chief objective of congress in this session.

Besides an already crowded calendar coming over from the last session, the senate had before it a new resolution adopted yesterday by the house and proposing a congressional memorial service for Woodrow Wilson in the house chamber on Dec. 15.

PARTY MACHINERY.

A large part of the attention of senate Republicans during the remainder of this week will be devoted to the performance of the party organization by filling of vacancies on standing committees caused by the death of members during the recess.

Besides the consideration of general legislation including farm relief, Muscle Shoals and that relating to railroads, the senate has a number of investigations in progress or in prospect. The internal revenue inquiry is going forward and the special committee under Senator Borah soon will resume its inquiry into campaign expenditures.

The oil committee also probably will again be active.

DEMOCRATS GAIN

As a result of elections to fill vacancies, the Democrats made a net gain of one in the house, a Democrat succeeding to the vacant Republican seat in Maryland. A Republican, however, took over one seat in the senate that had been held by a Democrat.

With one vacant Republican seat in the senate the lineup there now is:

Republicans, 51; Democrats, 42; and Farmer-Labor, 2.

When Representative Allen takes his seat, the house lineup will be: Republicans, 224; Democrats, 208; Farmer-Labor, 1; Socialist, 1, and Independent, 1.

This leaves the Republican insurgents still holding the balance of power of each house.

BREAKFAST CONFAB.

Washington, Dec. 2—Legislation was discussed informally by President Coolidge at a breakfast conference with a group of Republican senators. The meeting was the second of a series the president proposes to have with senate house leaders. Senators present at today's conference included McKinley, Illinois.

Another group has been invited to have breakfast tomorrow.

MAYFIELD CASE.

Washington, Dec. 2—The senate sub committee hearing the contest against Senator Mayfield, Democrat, Texas, decided today to re-open its hearings on next Monday at the request of Counsel for George F. B. Peddy, the contestant.

Congress Notes.

SPANISH SPRINGS.

Washington, Dec. 2—The Spanish springs irrigation project, the fight over which stopped all business in the senate last June was eliminated from the interior department appropriation bill as presented today to the house.

DEFICIENCY BILL.

Washington, Dec. 2—The second deficiency bill which failed of passage last session was passed today by the senate.

GRAHAM IS OUT.

Washington, Dec. 2 — The 14th congressional district of Illinois will be without in representation in the house this winter. W. J. Graham, Republican, the representative for many years, resigned in June to go on the bench.

This gap prunes still further the Republican majority. As now constituted the house has 223 Republicans and 208 Democrats.

CAMPAIGN EXPENSES.

Washington, Dec. 2 — Campaign expenditures reported today by candidates for the house include:

Illinois — German, Republican, $136.

FREE STATE DENIES CABINET TO QUIT

Dublin, Dec. 2—(AP)—A report that the Free State cabinet will resign and hand over the government to Eamon DeValera supporters in event of certain developments in connection with the Irish boundary commission, is ridiculed in Free State circles.

THEIR MOTHER IS GOVERNOR

Here are the sons of Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, governor-elect of Wyoming. Their father held the same office before his death in October. From left to right they are: Ambrose, William Bradford and George. Ambrose and George are 21-year-old twins. Ambrose is mining in Mexico, and George is a senior at the University of Wyoming. William, 13, attends a junior high school in Cheyenne.

CHAPLIN'S GIRL WIFE ONLY 16

Mother Admits Lita's Age —Explains License Lie.

Los Angeles, Dec. 2—A photographic copy of the 16 year old birth certificate of Lillian Louisa McMurray, or Lita Grey of the movies, who recently became Mrs. Charles Chaplin, was tossed on to the Chaplin lawn early today.

It beamed from a page of the Los Angeles Times where the activities of reporters had conspired to place it for comparison with the Mexican marriage records which last week depicted Miss Grey as a 19 year old bride.

BORN IN 1908

According to the published certificate Miss Grey was born near Hollywood April 15, 1908. She later attended two schools in Los Angeles, records of which reveal the same date.

Thus she was 13 when Chaplin "discovered" her and set her on the ladder of film fame, and 16 years old when he led her to the altar last week.

This, according to the compulsory schooling law of California, makes Mrs. Chaplin subject to the requirements of educational authorities whose duty it is to see that no minor escapes schooling until after his or her 18th birthday anniversary.

CAN HAVE TUTOR.

It does not necessarily mean, school authorities pointed out, that the film comedian's bride will have to go back to school, since the law allows instruction by tutors to be substituted for the class room brand. But one way or the other, says the law, she will have to "keep up with her lessons."

Neither Chaplin nor his bride could be interviewed last night, reporters invariably being met at the Chaplin gate with a "yes we are not at home" from a servant.

Mrs. Spicer, mother of the bride, admitted her daughter's age had been incorrectly stated in the Mexican marriage license, but explained it was done "for business reasons."

"AESTHETIC" RIGHTS AWAIT DECISION

Aurora Case Presents Interesting Angle.

Springfield, Dec. 2—(AP)—The relative importance of community "aesthetic" rights as against private property rights will be one of the problems facing the Illinois Supreme Court, when the court convenes here Tuesday for its December term. The question was raised in an attack on the state law, authorizing municipal zoning laws, from the city court of Aurora, and grew out of the attempted location of a grocery store in a district classified under the city zoning law as a residential district.

The city obtained an injunction restraining Robert Burns and Albert DeLatour, who operate a chain of grocery stores, from completing work on a building which the city alleges was to have been used for a grocery. At the original hearing on the injunction the city alleged that a building permit was obtained fraudulently, by representing that the building was to be a four family apartment house. Burns and DeLatour replied that the building was constructed so that it could be used as an apartment house, and remodeled into a grocery if such a business ever became legal in that locality.

The case was taken to the Supreme court when the lower court decided against the city on the grounds that both the state law and the city law were unconstitutional.

SENATE TO DECIDE ON POSTMASTERS

Washington, Dec. 2— Names of several hundred postmasters will be sent by President Coolidge to the senate for confirmation during the next few weeks. Vacancies include such large offices as Kansas City, Mo., and Birmingham, Ala.

KORETZ WANTS SPEEDY TRIAL

Admits Guilt in Big Fake Oil Scheme Swindle.

Chicago, Dec. 2—Leo Koretz, promoter of fake oil schemes in which his relatives and friends invested $2,000,000 brought back yesterday from Halifax to face his victims, wants "to get it over with as soon as possible."

"I have done wrong. I am going to plead guilty," he was reported as saying.

"I want my son Mentor to know absolute that wrong doing is wrong."

Four indictments, three of them charging defalcations of $4,000 each and the fourth $38,000 through the operation of a confidence game have been returned against Koretz. Each carries a penalty of from one to fourteen years in prison. He will be questioned further today.

MAKES CONFESSION.

Koretz, after making what the state's attorney termed a clean breast of his operations, said that he did not expect to interfere with the course of justice.

His dabbling in the fields of frenzied finance started 18 years ago purely by accident, he said, and ended just a year ago after the Bayona oil stocks had skyrocketed to dizzy heights and fallen like a plummet until they scarce represented the value of the paper on which the certificates were printed.

HIS POSESSIONS.

He explained that all his money was in the possession of the authorities to be used in paying creditors. He said the money which poured in from his oil stocks was his only income, and added that he used some of this to pay interest on stocks held by other clients.

He was not taken to jail, but was allowed to go to a hotel for the night in company of several detectives. Before going to the hotel, he conferred briefly with two brothers, Adolph and Emil, and remarked that it was the first time he had communicated with any member of his family, including wife and mother, since he fled.

DENY FAHY WRIT OF SUPERSEDEAS

Court Grants Review of Case in Spring.

Chicago, Dec. 2—(AP)—The federal circuit court of appeals today denied the appeal of Counsel for William J. Fahy, and James Murray under conviction for the Rondout $2,000,000 mail robbery, for a writ of supersedeas.

The court granted a writ of error which will permit review of the case by the court of appeals early next spring but bail was refused and they must start serving their sentences at the Atlanta prison, it was ordered.

DELAY DEPARTURE.

Their departure will be delayed a few days to permit conferences on their appeal with their attorneys.

Fahy, a former postoffice inspector, and Murray, a west side politician, were the only ones to stand trial.

The others, the four Newtons, Brent Glasscock, and Bert Holliday, will be sentenced Saturday on their pleas of guilty.

They were the actual robbers of the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul train, while Fahy, it was charged, furnished the inside information and Murray planned the holdup.

COOLIDGE SEEKING LIVESTOCK EXPERT

Washington, Dec. 2.—President Coolidge is seeking a man acquainted with livestock financing to fill the vacancy soon to arise on the federal farm loan board through the retirement of M. L. Corey.

STATE DENIES SMALL VICTIM OF PREJUDICE

Hadley Says Bias Charges Largely Fabricated.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 2—(AP)—Launching forth on a program of denials, Assistant Attorney General Hadley had the floor, when arguments in the "civil suits" against Governor Small were resumed this morning in the Sangamon county circuit court.

He took up the affidavit filed by the governor yesterday, in which general and particular charges of political enmity were made, and denied them in order, and styled the latest defense move as largely fabrication.

URGES PROGRESS

"Because we do not accede to Governor Small's demand or suggestion that we try all the other 'civil suits' before we tackle his, or that we try them all together, we are charged with playing politics" Mr. Hadley said.

He then inquired of the judge whether he did not believe there had been sufficient delay already, and urged that he order arguments on the substance of the master's report to proceed.

THE QUESTION.

The question at hand is whether the matter of Governor Small's accountability for one million dollars in tax money alleged withheld while he was state treasurer, shall be referred back to another master in chancery. This request was made by the governor's counsel yesterday on the ground that the present master, whose report held Small accountable, was actuated by the taint influence of the known leanings of the circuit court judges to whom he reports.

Attacking the particular charges in Governor Small's affidavit, Mr. Hadley described them as based solely on "information and belief."

HEAR ARGUMENTS.

Arguments on the motion to refer the case were under way when court adjourned Monday evening. Attorneys Chester Cleveland and P. H. O'Donnell, of Chicago, addressed the court in behalf of the governor. "You do not have to go into the record of this case," said Attorney O'Donnell. "Go into the record and it shows a hot pursuit of Gov. Small by Atty.-Gen. Brundage, a pursuit that can only rise out of a desire to crush a man.

"SMALL'S ENEMY."

"No sense of justice appealed to it, because if public duty permitted them there would not have been such a matter of nollying the Sterling case, or letting the others die. Therefore the conclusion is irresistable, that Brundage was not a friend but an enemy of Gov. Small."

Assistant Atty-Gen. Hadley declared the defense had attempted to blacken the reputation of Master-in-Chancery Briggle by insinuation. He demanded to know why Briggle had not been challenged when the case was first referred to him. The attack on the master's report, Hadley contended, was an after thought.

CANAL LEASE.

Votes on the canal lease proposition gave 1,036,272 for it, and 505,024 against it. Votes in favor of amending section nine of the banking law were 1,088,153, and against it were 517,827. Affirmative votes on amending sections 2, 4, 5 and 11 of the banking law were 702,975 and negative votes were 364,165.

OTHER PROPOSALS.

Proposition to lease the old Illinois-Michigan canal and the gateway amendment failed at the November election by 259,000 and 585,000 approximate votes, respectively. Votes cast for the gateway amendment were 704,665 and against 397,835. It required a majority of all votes cast for legislators, however, and there were 2,192,130 votes for the legislature.

The $100,000,000 hard road bond issue obtained a majority of 465,572 votes. The affirmative vote was 1,561,637 and the negative 544,250. The two amendments to the state banking law passed and will become effective as soon as the official proclamation is made by Governor Small.

Use Shoals for Own Defense Is Underwood's Plan

Washington, Dec. 2—Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, today presented a new plan for the operation of Muscle Shoals.

He would dedicate the property to national defense, provide for either government or private operation for the production of nitrogen for explosives and fertilizer and call for the construction of dam number 3.

HENRY M. DAWES WANTS TO RESIGN

Washington, Dec. 2— Henry M. Dawes has indicated to President Coolidge his desire to resign soon as comptroller of the currency.

COOLIDGE NOT TO VISIT OLD HOME

Washington, Dec. 2 — President Coolidge authorized the announcement today that he had no intention of visiting his home at Plymouth, Vermont during the winter months.

PRESS FREE JUDGE SAYS IN TAX CASE

Kansas City Paper Is Victorious in U. S. Suit.

LAW "BREAKS" LAW

Washington, Dec. 2.—The government is prepared to appeal from the decision of Federal Judge Reeves in Kansas City today in the income tax publication case.

Kansas City, Dec. 2.—(AP)—Federal Judge A. L. Reeves today sustained the demurrers of W. S. Dickey, owner and editor of the Kansas City Journal-Post and Ralph Ellis, general managing editor, to indictments charging alleged illegal publication of federal income tax returns.

The clause in the law holding that publication of income tax returns was illegal Judge Reeves said in effect in announcing his decision, is in violation of the first amendment to the federal constitution relative to the freedom of the press.

VIOLATES CONSTITUTION

Arguing the demurrer yesterday U. S. Senator J. A. Reed, representing the defense, declared the clause of the income tax law prohibiting publication of returns violated the constitution of the United States.

"If a newspaper owner can be sent to jail for printing the mere fact that John Jones had paid an income tax of $1 or any other amount then it is time to haul down the American flag" Senator Reed declared.

PEOPLE HOLD POWER

"We do not exercise our rights and liberties because they have been conferred on us by the constitution of the United States" he said. "We are the source of all power and all authority and every agency of this government is merely servant and agent of the people."

The defense argued the income tax figures published in the newspapers had been made public by the collector of internal revenue contended that publication of the amounts of tax paid by individuals did not constitute publication of part of the income tax returns. It was pointed out that the computation of tax due made by the individual often times was corrected by the internal revenue bureau in cases where mistakes had been made by the tax payers.

U. S. District Attorney Madison for the government argued that the income tax law clearly set out provisions prohibiting the publication of income tax returns in part or in whole.

LONDON HAS EYE ON FRENCH-U. S. WAR DEBT TALK

British Entitled to Same Terms.

London, Dec. 2—The news of the Franco-American debt conversations came as a surprise to England, the treasury having been left in the dark by the French.

The British are excited however because, if the French obtain better terms than they did, they are entitled under the agreement Stanley Baldwin made in Washington to full benefits.

VIEWS UNCHANGED

At the same time, the French attitude will not make Winston Churchill any more disposed to withdraw his demand for payment of the debt to Great Britain when he goes to Paris this month to discuss interallied debts.

The Weather

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Weather indications for Illinois:

Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Wednesday probably rain with warmer in southeast portions.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Conrad United States weather observer:

7 p. m. Monday	24
Highest Monday	36
7 a. m. Tuesday	20
Noon Tuesday	30
Lowest Tuesday	19
Sun rises (Standard time)	6:38
Sun sets	4:41

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Dec. 2—Canadian Northwest 12 to 24 generally clear.

Northwest, 18 to 40, clear.

West, 22 to 30, clear.

Southwest 24 to 38 mostly clear.

Ohio Valley, 12 to 24, clear.

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J. T. HASLAM'S BROTHER DEAD

Mowequa, Dec. 2.—J. T. Haslam received a message stating that his brother had died on Thanksgiving day in Arnet, Okla. James Haslam was survived by one son and one daughter, five sisters, Mrs. J. S. Winchell of Newkirk, Okla.; Mrs. Jennie Williams, Sterling, Kan.; Mrs. E. Humphrey, Rock Island, Texas; Mrs. Joseph Walsh, New York City, and Miss Maude Haslam, Boston, and three brothers, John T. Haslam, Modequa, Ill.; Fred Haslam of Oklahoma and Daniel Haslam of Idaho.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church cleared over $90 on their Thanksgiving bazaar.

Miss Laura Stiner of Decatur spent Sunday at home.

The brick work on the new school building was completed Saturday. With favorable weather the roof will be added at once.

Clarence Fugua spent the week-end in Decatur and J. E. Patton in Monticello.

Miss Gertrude Wilson was home from Dalton City for Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Dobson spent Thanksgiving in Peoria and Saturday and Sunday in Mowequa.

Miss Kathryn Gregory, who is a student at the Women's College in Jacksonville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregory, over Sunday.

Francis Hickman spent his vacation with his grandparents at Olin.

GIFTS HONORED.

Mrs. Dale Warren entertained Friday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Erwin, in honor of her guests, Misses Bernice and Maurice Nelson of Freeport.

Three tables were at play.

Miss Lillian Andrews entertained a company of college vacationists Saturday night. Cards and dancing were enjoyed. Thomas Logan of Bethany was an out-of-town guest.

Miss Gladys Crowder of Bethany was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Horace Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Housh and son Guy of Champaign were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Snyder Saturday night.

Miss Blanche Syfert of Decatur spent the week-end with her parents near Yantisville and visited in the Day home Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Turner spent Sunday with home folks near Ramsey.

Miss Ruth Procter has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Winters in Nokomis.

Mrs. J. S. Smith of Mt. Auburn has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Telly.

Mrs. Dwight Adamson is quite sick at St. Mary's hospital.

DINE IN TAYLORVILLE.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gid Housh and Merle of Champaign, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Snyder and son, Mrs. Lelia Mathias and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gregory and son and Mrs. Hazel Housh and daughters motored to Taylorville to a turkey dinner, given by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bethards.

Mrs. Effie Winchell spent the week-end at Tonica with the Goodwin family.

Miss Sarah Dale of Decatur was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Edna Sollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kitch of Decatur were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Thomas.

Will Farney spent the Thanksgiving vacation at home, returning Sunday to Blackburn college.

Those who attended the funeral of W. E. Corrington from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Corrington, Louisville, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Corrington and family, Mrs. Ralph McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Telly and Frank Snell of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Corrington of Clinton; Mrs. Lucy Cooper and son Frank of Niwood; Mr. and Mrs. A. Eiler, Mr. and Mrs. Laroe, Mrs. Lee Tevis, Mrs. I. K. Story, Mrs. Lester Story, Mrs. Paul Wilkinson, Miss Lura Tilley, Mr. Morrison and Miss Mary Leighty of Tower Hill.

Adam Snyder is reported more comfortable at St. Mary's hospital. His son Jarman Snyder of Memphis, who has been at his bedside, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Snyder.

LOVINGTON VISITOR FROM LOS ANGELES

Lovington, Dec. 2—Ora Eiler of Los Angeles, Cal., visited former Lovington friends here several days this week. Mr. Eiler is the son of the late Mrs. Orlando Sawyer. He is now connected with the Southern Pacific passenger service in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holston and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cumley, who moved to Decatur a few months ago, have returned to Lovington to make their home.

Mrs. Amy Gibbon and granddaughter Helen Rutherford spent the week-end in Champaign with Mrs. Gibbon's daughter, Mrs. Roy Baker and family.

Hillory Rhodes has returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where he went some time ago for the benefit of his health.

ATTENDS FUNERAL.

Mrs. Emma Funston and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Funston were in Hammond Saturday to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Sarah Kilburn, where death occured in Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dalton and sons and Miss Verna Burns returned Sunday from Clay City, Ind. where they spent Thanksgiving vacation.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION.

Mrs. Ephriam Newlan left Monday for Champaign where she will enter the hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rainey of Terre Haute, Ind., returned to their home after a visit here with Mrs. S. P. Rainey.

Mrs. James Clore of Pontiac is here visiting her son, H. H. Clore, and family. She will visit in Altamont with her daughter, Mrs. Victor Rhodes before returning to her home in Pontiac.

Mrs. C. W. Jones is in Hammond visiting her daughter, Mrs. Laurent Sutter and family.

TO HOLD BAZAARS.

The annual bazaar by the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will be held at Community Hall Saturday, Dec. 6. Dinner and supper will be served cafeteria.

The Ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual bazaar on Wednesday, Dec. 10. Dinner and supper will be served.

Miss Ruby Buxton teacher of the Maple Grove School one mile east of Lovington will hold a box social Friday evening Dec. 5.

Dallas Newlan and wife, who make their home with Mrs. James Clore in Pontiac, are here visiting relatives.

Wade McDaniel returned Sunday from Radford where he has been spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McDaniel.

Pearl Canter was called to Columbus, Ohio, Saturday in response to a message stating that his brother has been seriously injured in a mine accident.

Charles Selby of Wheaton was a business visitor here Friday.

TWO FIRE DEPT. CALLS AT MAROA

Maroa, Dec. 2—The fire department was called out twice Friday evening, first to the home of R. D. Staninger and a little later to the Lewis Bennett barn. The damage at each place was slight.

Charles Conover returned home Sunday from Twin Falls, Idaho, where he closed out his interests and returned to Maroa where the family will reside.

Mrs. Lydia Parkhurst arrived Thursday from Oklahoma City, Okla., and will visit relatives and friends here for a short time.

Mrs. A. A. Coulter and daughter returned home Sunday from a few days visit at Springfield.

Rev. Orville Spreckelmeyer visited over Sunday with his parents and other relatives near Maroa. He is now located at Madison, Illinois. On Sunday evening he occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Alice Sigler is visiting with the family of her son in Clinton.

Several Maroa people attended the dedication services at the Harmony church Sunday. The people of the community have just completed a parsonage and a hall which will be used as a community center.

Elmer Megrue and wife expect to leave soon for California where they will spend the winter.

Hon. Grover Hoff of Clinton was in Maroa Monday afternoon transacting legal matters.

Mrs. R. B. Wikoff, who has been in the Decatur and Macon County hospital for over three weeks, was brought home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pennigton and Donald and Miss Louise Simon of Decatur were guests at dinner Saturday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Berry.

CASNER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rork and Mrs Bessie Miller were guests of C. B Chapman Tuesday.

Some of the women attended the Home Bureau meeting in Decatur Tuesday.

Miss Cross, teacher of the Prairie Hall school, was calling on friends here this week.

Mrs. A. J. Chapman has been visiting relatives in Decatur.

Mrs. Grace White gave a family dinner on Thanksgiving.

An oyster supper was held in the church on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Myres are entertaining their granddaughter from Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P Morris of Decatur with Mrs. Andrews and son Billy of Evanston were callers at E. E. Chapmans Thursday.

Mr. Menefeys' and D. O. Keilmans' of Decatur were guests of A. E. Chapmans'.

Mrs. Gladys Hopkins has been ill.

Miss Fleta Beck has been away from home several days this week.

Miss Edna Kintner went to Chicago this week.

The farmers are glad to be getting their corn all in.

Otto Brown of Cerro Gordo was here this week.

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One of the best grades obtainable, absolutely all silk, a strictly high grade fabric. Soft, dull, lustrous finish, a good heavy weight. Just what you would like to have made into a handsome gown. In colors of black and navy. **$3.39 yard.**

40-in. Crepe de Chine

Good quality, can be used for practically any purpose, in colors of ivory, pink, coral, turquoise, poppy, pheasant, red, poudre blue, bob-o-link, cocoa and gray. This is a good quality and will give good wear. **$1.69 yard.**

Daylight Silk Section—Second Floor

An Interesting Sale
Framed Pictures
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Your friends will love to receive these pictures for presents. Handsomely carved frames in old gold, rose and blue tints. You couldn't buy the frame alone at this price. The subjects are flowers, old masters, landscapes. Pictures for the living room, library, dining room, and boudoir.

Main Floor, Art Department

Blue Navy Coats
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Baskets for shopping

An imported basket made of wicker suitable for shopping or it will be so handy to have one to keep your embroidery work in. **79c.**

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Silver bread and sandwich trays—heavily plated sheffield ware. Pretty styles—every woman loves silver for the dining room—and these are priced so reasonably. **$1.49 and $1.98 each.**

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Hundreds of useful articles at a very low cost—there are so many things ni this department which will make really useful gifts.

Fancy tape measures, 25c and 50c.
Red apple and tomato pin cushions, 18c, 25c and 50c.
Work Boxes, 75c.
Needle Books—imported, 50c to $1.50.
Spool racks, 19c to 50c.
Silver Thimbles, 25c.
Enameled clothes hangers—with spring clamp, 25c.
Enameled shoe trees—pair in box, 25c pair.
Wayne Cedared paper garment bags, $1.25 to $2.00.
Skirt and trouser hanger, 10c each.
Embroidery Scissors, 59c.
Scissors and Shears, 50c to $1.50.
Men's Paris Garters, 50c.

Main Floor

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Napkins to match the above cloths, size 22x22. **$7.50 doz.**

Pattern Table Cloths, 70x70 size; pure Irish Linen, — fine, firm quality in pretty designs. **$5.00 each.**

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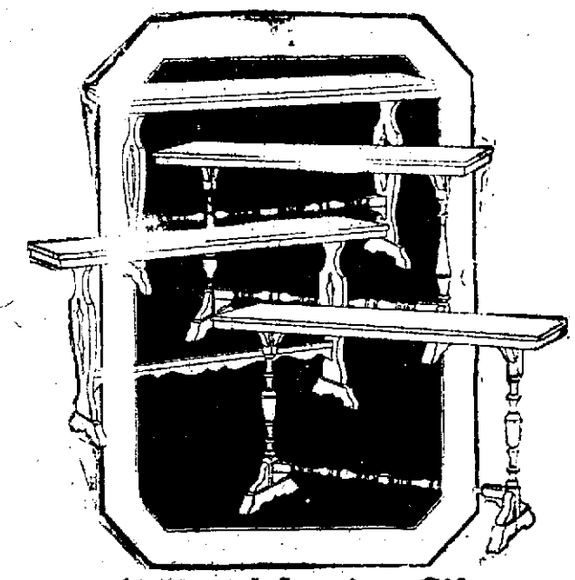

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MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR J. M. U. BANQUET

Maj. Griffith Speaker for Football Men.

Reservation cards are being mailed to all members by the Association of Commerce for the fifth annual M [illegible] football banquet which is to be held next Wednesday, Dec 10 plans for which are rapidly developing.

Major John L Griffith commissioner of the Big Ten conference, will be the speaker of the evening. The request is made that the reservation cards be returned as soon as possible so that arrangements for the approximate number [illegible] will attend can be made. The banquet will be given at the Y M C A [illegible]

GIVES TALK ON ENGLISH CHURCH

Dr Chesteen Smith Before Presbyterian Mens Club

[illegible] First Methodist church [illegible] was the speaker [illegible] Monday [illegible] of the Mens club of the First Presbyterian church. He spoke on [illegible] History of the Presbyterian Church [illegible]

[illegible]

LINCOLN FATHERS PLAN CHRISTMAS

Expect to Have Tree And Program Committees Named

[illegible] Christmas [illegible] of the Fathers club [illegible] pointed [illegible] Mothers [illegible] school and [illegible] two weeks [illegible]

program will consist of a big Christmas tree as a part of the evening.

Twenty-five members of the Fathers club gathered for this Monday evening meeting and when the business was finished they played volley ball. Volley ball games of the near future will include a challenge sent to the members of other clubs in the city.

TO WRITE BIOGRAPHY OF STELLA BECKER

Hospital Association to Have It Published in Nursing Magazine.

Members of the Hospital Alumnae association decided in the meeting held in the Nurses home Monday evening that it would be responsible for a biography of Miss Stella Becker whose death occurred a few weeks ago and who was head of the Visiting Nurses organization in the city as well as a member of several nurses organizations in the state. The biography will be published in the American Nursing magazine and in the American Journal of Nursing.

Mrs. Mary Mose was the speaker of the evening using the subject Rural School Nursing. She spoke [illegible] out of her experience in the schools of Macon county which she has inspected several times and upon which she now is at work having inspected 1900 children who [illegible] about one half the schools of the county. She told of the great improvement in the standing of the schools since corrections were made following the last inspection.

Miss Yvonne Bennett will be the hostess for the next meeting of the association which will be held [illegible] the Nurses home and the [illegible] election will occur at that [illegible]

DEATHS.

[illegible]

[illegible] old son [illegible] South Water [illegible] died Sunday at the Decatur [illegible] Macon County hospital. The child had never been strong. The [illegible] died when he was born. The body was removed to the Moran & [illegible] undertaking establishment and [illegible] for burial and the funeral [illegible] there Monday afternoon [illegible] in Fairlawn cemetery.

THOMAS COON

[illegible] Coon formerly of [illegible] county died at his home in Burlington [illegible] Tuesday Nov 25 according to word received in Decatur Monday. He was well known in the neighborhood of Monticello and Cerro Gordo. He was brother of Mrs Jessie Cra[illegible] of Decatur and Mrs Ida Bonser [illegible] Gordo.

PROTESTS WAR ON CHRISTMAS TREE

Tree Association Suggests Moderation.

Washington, Dec 2—(AP)—The real Christmas tree problem is how can every family have one. Approximately 5,000,000 Christmas trees are cut in the United States every year.

Recently H V Berry of Fort Plain N Y, a delegate to the national conference on forest utilization urged a Federal law prohibiting the sale of Christmas trees. The Detroit Federation of Womens clubs also has sent out an appeal to that end. The American Tree association, however says that in extending the Federation's campaign to certain Christmas greens the club women are in the right but does not favor abolishing the Christmas tree.

IS BY-PRODUCT

"Why take the Christmas tree the universal sign of the Christmas season out of the lives of the children" the American Tree association asks in a statement by Charles Lathrop Pack its president. The Christmas tree is a legitimate by-product of the forest. The real problem is how can every family in America have one. Under proper forest management which the association advocates, one crop of trees is made to succeed another. That is the big problem to which America must give immediate thought.

The proper cutting of trees for Christmas use in most cases permits sturdier trees to attain greater growth. True conservation of the forest results not from leaving trees to grow old and die but from their wise use when they are needed in whatever size by man.

MINER INJURED BY DELAYED EXPLOSION

Nokomis Dec 2—James Gillis a well known coal miner of Nokomis was badly injured at the number ten mine of the Indiana and Illinois Co at Wenonah a mining center in the suburbs of this city on Saturday afternoon. Gillis is a coal digger and had just gone back into his room to investigate the cause for delay in a shot which he had prepared when the explosion occurred. He received serious injuries in the face and head.

The injured miner was rushed to Pana where he was placed in the Huber Memorial hospital for treatment. His injuries are considered serious.

Church Calendar

WEDNESDAY

The churches of Decatur will hold their regular mid-week prayer services Wednesday evening.

The Northwest division of the Ladies Aid will serve the supper at 6:15 Wednesday evening in the First Methodist church. Between the supper and the regular prayer service will be a business meeting for the election of a superintendent and departmental conferences. The pastor's subject for the later service is One Man Who Did Not Forget the Obligation of Thanksgiving.

A called meeting of the Ladies Aid of Sargent Methodist church will be held after the prayer service Wednesday evening.

Second Samuel is the book of the Bible which Rev. Wilbert Dowson will review in the prayer service in Grace Methodist church Wednesday evening. Mrs Caroline Clark will give the Sunday school lesson for next Sunday.

The Ladies Aid of the First United Brethren church will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs Bunner 437 North Union.

The Ladies Aid society of the Third United Brethren church will meet all day Wednesday at the church.

The third ward Ladies Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Wednesday in the church. The seventh ward will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs. Bivens [illegible] West Eldorado. The sixth ward Social Circle will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs Leland Smith 315 West [illegible]. The [illegible] class will have a business meeting at the church at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mrs John Weerts will lead the prayer service Wednesday evening.

Women of Westminster Presbyterian church will meet all day Wednesday to quilt. At the mid week prayer service Dr C A Tafferman the pastor will continue the subject Training in Personal Work. An important meeting of the church council will be held at 8:30 following the prayer service.

The Ladies' Aid society of the St. Johns Lutheran church will meet [illegible] Wednesday afternoon in the school hall. The mid week advent service will be held in the church at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

[illegible] Aid society of the Church of the Brethren will have an all day meeting Wednesday, beginning at 10 a. m.

The Ladies Aid of the First Church of God will meet at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon in the church.

The Ladies Aid society of the Second United Brethren church will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs Ruth [illegible]. The [illegible] serves and Boy Scouts will meet at 6:30 Wednesday evening in the church. The official board will meet after the prayer service Wednesday evening.

The Teachers Training class of the First [illegible] church will have supper Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock in the church. [illegible] services will be conducted at 7:30.

A business meeting will be held in the East Park Baptist church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Christian Gleaners of the Seventh Street Christian church will meet all day Wednesday in the church.

Prayer services will be conducted Wednesday evening at 7:[illegible] in the Seventh Street Christian church and will be followed by choir practice.

The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. [illegible] Chipping [illegible] West North street for an all day meeting. Members are to come at 11 o'clock.

Camp Fire Girls of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday evening at 4:15 in the church.

Prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the Riverside Baptist church will be followed by choir practice at 8:30 in the church.

Teachers meeting and prayer service will be held in the Antioch Baptist church at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening. The women of the church are requested to meet Wednesday evening.

THIS NAME WILL STOP ROLL CALL

Milwaukee Wis Dec 2—Officer George Konstangnopolipancbyklewiszowics sounds like a delirious cross-word puzzle but it is a name that will soon meander in all its imposing length across the roster of the Milwaukee police department.

He Monday passed examinations as patrolman. When he gets his appointment he will each hour to a patrol box to telephone Officer Joseph Schiaufnagel at police headquarters.

LOWRIE, ILLINOIS MAN, PROMOTED

Elgin Dec 2—Will Lowrie formerly of Elgin, who has served for five years as consul general to Greece has been promoted to become consul general at Wellington the capital of New Zealand. Mr Lowerie is completing his nineteenth year in the consular service.

WOMAN OF FORTY VICTIM OF CONSTIPATION

Mrs Fannie White of 678 Marcy Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes

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The Association of Commerce acting through its train schedule committee is endeavoring to increase patronage on the new C I & W trains recently installed from Indianapolis to Decatur and return. These trains were put on at the instance of the committee, but they have not been paying and unless they are better patronized they will be removed.

Removal of these trains would be a hardship not only upon Decatur merchants the Association points out but also upon those people in communities east of this city along the line of the C I & W. An appeal to use the trains is being broadcast by the association to all points between this city and Indianapolis, in the form of a pamphlet.

PRESENT SCHEDULE

The present schedule includes trains leaving Decatur at [illegible] a. m and 4:1[illegible] p. m. arriving at Indianapolis at 1[illegible] p. m. and [illegible] p. m., respectively. Trains leave Indianapolis for Decatur at 7:00 a. m. and [illegible] p. m., arriving here at 12:1[illegible] p. m. and [illegible] p. m. respectively. The train leaving Indianapolis [illegible] afternoon makes connection [illegible] field where it arrives at [illegible] with the [illegible] City arriving there at [illegible]

The C I & W [illegible] Association of Commerce [illegible] consented to every demand of the people it serves that [illegible] with the necessity of showing a modest return on the money [illegible] ed in the road—[illegible] the present time it has been [illegible] fied with meeting [illegible] penses.

[illegible]

"Between Decatur [illegible] the C I & W is [illegible] several stations [illegible] ing lost. People [illegible] are not employing [illegible] is they could. The [illegible] Association of Commerce [illegible]

[illegible] two train schedules [illegible] confronted with [illegible] is being lost. [illegible] power of the people [illegible] the situation, [illegible] C I & W as of- [illegible]

NOKOMIS BUSINESS MEN'S BANQUET

[illegible]—The Nokomis [illegible] Association gave a big [illegible] members on [illegible] basement of [illegible] church [illegible] won [illegible] church. No regular [illegible] the welfare [illegible] the coming [illegible] the member [illegible] well attended.

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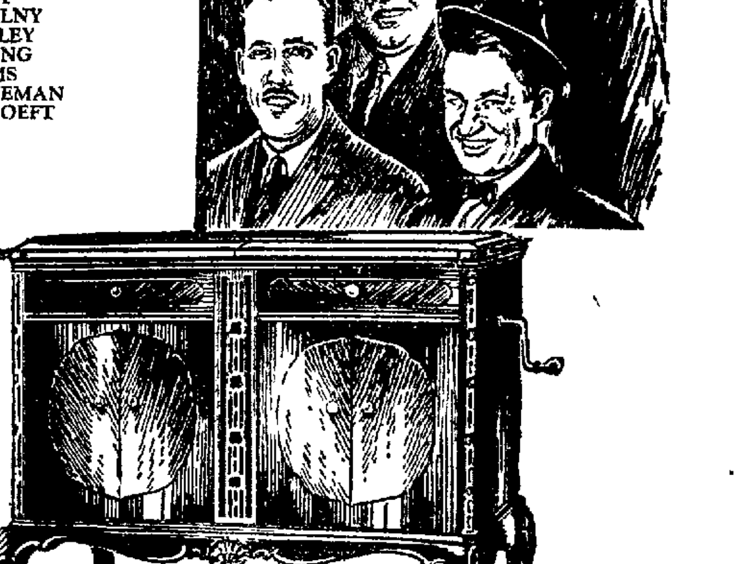

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OLD OFFICERS TAKE OATHS OF OFFICE

Douglas County Officials Re-assure Duties.

Tuscola, Dec. 2—The Douglas county officers who were elected at the fall election all took their oath of office on Monday. None of them are new, as all of those whose terms expired Dec. 1, were re-elected to the same offices. They include States Attorney Robert F. Cotton, Circuit Clerk, Henry Wallace, Coroner R. C. Gillogly, and Surveyor W. E. Price.

All of the former deputies in the offices are retained so that there is no change in any of the office forces.

Under the circumstances there was no interruption in any of the offices and with the exception of the swearing in of the officers for a new term, Monday was no different from any other day.

CINDERS AFIRE.

City Officer Ebb Doty, and S. E. Haber, had a little excitement all of their own on Sunday night. Doty discovered that the heat in a car of cinders that was standing on the side track in the C. & E. I. Yards here, had set fire to the body of the car and it was burning fiercely. He called Haber and the two went to the City engine house, pulled one of the light hose carts out and they then attaching a hose to a hydrant and gave the hot cinders a thorough soaking.

$100 AND 7 MONTHS.

Harley Sallee of near Arthur, pleaded guilty in the County court on Monday to a charge of contributing to delinquency of a minor. The young man was sentenced by Judge Wamsley to pay a fine of $100 and to serve seven months in the County Jail.

Mrs. Bentley M. VanVoorhis went to Edwardsville on Sunday for a week's visit with Mrs. Douglas Hadley. Mrs. Hadley was formerly Miss Josephine Weir and frequently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Weir, with they were Tuscola residents.

FAT STOCK SHOW.

Hart Hostettler of Raleigh N. C. spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Michener in Tuscola. Young Mr. Hostettler is employed by the state of north Carolina, in its department of animal industry and he is attending the Fat Stock Show at Chicago, coming to Tuscola from there. He is a nephew of Mrs. Michener.

Roscoe Martin of near Arcola was a Monday visitor in Tuscola.

SUPERVISORS MEET.

The Douglas County Board of Supervisors met for their December sessions on Monday. Nothing outside of the regular routine of business was before the board on Monday.

CONFERENCE.

A District Conference of Evangelical Lutheran Ministers is being held in Tuscola on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, at the Lutheran church. The district includes Danville, Champaign, and Mattoon and there are about twelve or fourteen Pastorates in the district.

Mrs. Laura McCarty Vance, of New York, came Sunday afternoon for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. Y. McCarty of this place. Mrs. Vance was met at Mattoon by the McCartys.

APPENDIX TROUBLING.

Miss Myrtle V. Smith who has been teaching in one of the rural schools near here is in the Garman Memorial hospital, where she recently underwent an operation for relief from appendix trouble. She is said to be recovering in a manner that is satisfactory.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan B. Baldwin who live west of Tuscola is reported as suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

NEWMAN

Lloyd Boyer and family visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Boyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hartley in Urbana.

Mrs. John McIntyre and daughter Janet of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived Sunday, being called by the death of Mrs. McIntyre's grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Hancock.

Mrs. A. E. Fath has been visiting her sister Mrs. C. G. Bacon, and family the last few days.

Miss Effie Fansler spent the Thanksgiving recess in the home of her father, Joseph Fansler.

There is no school this week in the building occupied by the six higher grades on account of the furnace having to be repaired.

Miss Louise McIntyre has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Ray Swickard, who is attending the Chicago Dental college, spent the Thanksgiving recess with his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Lottie Hancock and daughters Pauline and Gene of Indianapolis attended the funeral of Mrs. James Hancock.

BETHANY.

Miss Gladys Crowder returned home Saturday night from a visit at Mowequa with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Spangler of Champaign spent Sunday here with Mrs. Spangler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Martha Logan and son Thomas returned to Urbana Sunday, having spent Thanksgiving here.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Crowder have returned from a week's visit in Batesville, Miss., with Mrs. Crowder's sister.

Mrs. George Foster has been sick the last week.

Miss Edna Moore is clerking in Wheeler and Campbell's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Clark and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark of Mowequa spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. E Crowder.

The school children are busy selling Red Cross Christmas seals.

Mr. and Mrs. C B. Smith and daughter Naomi spent Sunday in Girard with relatives.

Guy Cunningham and Richard Riggs returned to Normal Sunday after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Roney.

Mrs. John Malloy came Monday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crowder.

A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ekiss in Mansfield, Ill. Mrs. Ekiss is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Bone of this place.

Stanley Davis has returned to Lincoln where he attends school after spending Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Miss Sally Baird, who has a position in Chicago, spent Thanksgiving here with her mother, Mrs. Claude Baird.

MT. AUBURN MEN CHOSEN JURORS

Mt. Auburn, Dec. 2— Harold Armstrong, John Kohl and Gus Ryan have been hosen to act as petit jurors for the fifth and sixth weeks, and Edward Blair and Ed Miller for the seventh and eighth weeks of the December term of the county court for Mt. Auburn township.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Everman returned home Friday night from a wedding trip to Indianapolis and were greeted with a charivari party. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson were married in Springfield Wednesday. She was formerly Miss Ruth Young of this place.

FOSTER-GUERNSEY.

Fred Foster of Forrestville and Miss Sophia Guernsey of Ashland were licensed to wed at Springfield Wednesday, Nov. 26. Miss Guernsey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Guernsey formerly of the vicinity of Bolivia and is well known in this community, having been a teacher of the Montgomery school south of Mt. Auburn for two terms prior to this year.

Mrs. Etta Curtis of Sumner, Mo. who has been attending the bedside of her son Samuel Curtis who is confined to a hospital in Decatur, has arrived here to visit her mother, Mrs. J. R. Foster.

Roy Collenbarger and family of Stonington visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ida Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hight and daughter, Roberta, and Mr. and Mrs Grover C. Rasar, visited in Decatur Sunday with Mrs. B. P. Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Welsh and children and his mother, Mrs. Josephine Welsh, Robert and Chester Wood and Carl Garry of Springfield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Greer Sunday.

Mrs. Charles T. Bramel of Niantic was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Childers, the last week.

Don G. Rasar, who has been confined to a Decatur hospital, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home here.

Mrs. Charles H. Squires has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Alvoid Colpitts and family at Quincy.

E. M. Wurl who has been confined to his home the last ten days suffering with a ruptured muscle of his leg which he received while pushing on a car in his son, Glenn Wurl's garage, is improving slowly.

Rev and Mrs. H. C. Towles of Kemp have been the guests of her brother, Howard Tolberd and wife the last week.

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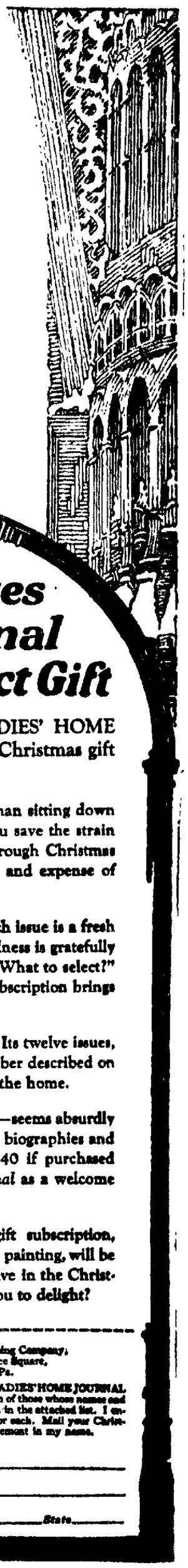

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NO WAY TO TREAT A SHOW PIECE.

Inspectors spent some time in the city and learned that six more letter carriers are needed here. Presumably they so reported to headquarters at Washington.

The answer is an allowance of three additional carriers. Further report—and we can easily believe it—is that Postmaster Jake Hill has gone on the warpath, which means he is writing letters of protest to Senator McKinley and Congressman Moore.

The senator is a busy man, with all of the state to look after these days and nights. Congressman Moore is in the act of retiring, and we don't know how much of his time and energy is consumed in this.

It is strange it should be necessary in a case like this to appeal from the postoffice department itself. It sent its own men here to find the facts of the situation, and of course they are past masters at a thing of the kind, have given most of their young lives to it.

When the postoffice department learns the facts on its own initiative there should be no hesitation about going ahead and acting. It is true, however, that the facts may present a situation that is a little too large to be handled with funds that are available.

There may be something of the kind in this case. There is intimation that further relief may be expected locally after the first of July, when new and possibly larger appropriations will be available.

Our postoffice is about the best the people of the country get from the federal government, and they come in contact with it 365 days of the year. There should be an understanding in official circles that the service is to be kept tip-top all the time, for it is a great way to advertise the government at Washington to all the constituents.

We felt in a way there was such understanding, that the postmaster general was expected to go ahead and make this service fine, not being held as closely to appropriations as those in some other departments. It is just another thing we may have had wrong in our minds.

But the powers that be are overlooking a bet when they let the quality of the mail service deteriorate. It is all right for Mr. Hill to be on the warpath.

THEY POINT THE WAY TO GRIEF

Mark Sullivan says that Democratic senators are no longer jumping at a chance to collaborate with LaFollette to embarrass a Republican administration. And he finds there is a good reason for this change of heart.

Says Mr. Sullivan: "That program of cooperation with LaFollette was followed by the Democrats last year; and on that performance Democrats lay much of the blame for their present state."

It is encouraging to read that Democrats in high places have come around to see this thing as it is. They should have seen it more than a year ago, but it is an instance of better late than never.

LaFollette has proved just about as happy a solution for Democratic party management as did Lenin and Trotzky in the social affairs of Russia. Even though a majority should go along with LaFollette—inconceivable in this country—it would mean only that everybody is riding for a fall.

IT'S A TICKLISH CAMPAIGN.

In Chicago a detective squad rode up hurriedly alongside the car of a reputable citizen of the town. He thought bandits were after him, so began to shoot at once. He killed one detective and wounded two others.

One might have looked for it, and possibly there will be more. The private citizen was much alarmed, but what gumption he did retain told him to shoot first and ask questions afterward.

It is a bad situation, and the worst of it is it will not embarrass the bandits. It is rough on the police squads, but this is about all that can be said.

When bandits make an attack they will shoot first, and too many of them are deadly in their aim. Had the detectives been bandits, the private citizen and his wife are the ones who would have lost their lives.

Detective squads will have to manage somehow to confine this style of attention to real bandits, and then shoot it out with them.

WHILE THEY RUSH UP TROOPS.

The word from Egypt Monday was that the British feel they have the situation pretty well in hand; but it was noted they were not taking unnecessary risks. Conditions appeared to be getting a little better with the passing of each hour, but those British were not trusting much to appearances.

They preferred to report appearances as they found them, but all the while they continued to fortify themselves against possible deception.

And so we read that while appearances seemed pretty good, yet the British continued to pour more of their own soldiers into Egypt. They didn't care to take a long chance on appearances, rather preferred to be ready for the worst if it should happen along.

Things looked promising, but the British took that opportunity to get more soldiers to the front. Possibly they figured this would assist in keeping a promising look on appearances.

Those British have been fighting men for a long time, and by now they know the game pretty well. They don't always win, but if anybody ever gives them the worst of it he knows he has had a fight on his hands.

MUST HAVE FUNDAMENTALS.

It is mentioned that it is easy for the citizen at his leisure to tell how he would act if on the police force and suddenly brought face to face with a crisis.

Of course there is something pertinent in this observation. All of us can do better planning and show to better advantage if given a lot of time to think out our behavior.

And yet this tells only part of the story. There are a few things that are fundamental. One of these is that if you are a member of the force you must get into action just as soon as shooting begins.

There may be men who can't react in this way, but it is sure they are not built by nature for a police job. Once shooting starts, the policeman must take a big hand in the thing that is cut out for him—and it is something that won't wait.

It is thought it is natural for the average man to shoot when the enemy begins to fire. This reaction must be natural and inbred if a man is to uphold his end on the police force. There are those who don't react in this way, but nature intended them for other occupations.

NOT A CHANCE TO ENTHUSE.

There is a story of the Germans appear to be rather indifferent about the general election they have on for Sunday next. We read a line or two further and begin to understand.

We learn there will be twenty-four tickets on the ballot to be used this time. It is entirely too many tickets; not more than one man in 10,000 should be expected to get into a welter of that kind and retain any enthusiasm.

Probably they could do better in Germany if they had but two tickets on the ballot. In a situation of this kind there is some chance for a man to get a slant on proceedings of the day, and then he can go ahead and work up his enthusiasm.

But all this chance is dissipated when they have twenty-four tickets. In a game as complicated as this a man doesn't live long enough to make up his mind and be sure about it.

BUT SOME OTHER DAY.

R. H. Little of the Tribune expressed some concern over the possibility that Leo Koretz might sell more blue sky to the lawyers and the professional guard that had him in tow on the way from New York to Chicago.

Of course it was intended as a touch of humor, and it was that. And yet in a way the concern of Mr. Little need not be declared out of order.

There is a chance that at some time in the future Koretz may have the freedom of the city in Chicago. He may keep all his special selling talent until that time.

In this event, don't you know that he could turn loose once more and bring them in by the hundreds, they and their possessions? Of course he could, for his capacity to sell is more than talent; it is genius. This is something that has always been served.

Those mules are out of the Niantic mine, and we guess nobody has lost any rights on account of the deliverance.

We used to think a man might tire of glory, but Knute Rockne doesn't seem to be so afflicted.

They don't call off football until the weather gets too cold for spectators, who have something to do with making of the game.

Now they are sending pictures by wireless, and all the way over the ocean; but for years we saw a few that looked as if they had been exposed to that style of treatment.

Our police chief is to put on a new uniform at New Year's, and this will put us a lap ahead of Chicago.

The president of Mexico is General Plutarco Elias Calles. It is a good deal of name to carry, but he has lived to tell the story.

Whenever we hit what we think is a low point in temperature along comes Professor Coonradt to assure us we have lived through worse.

It may help some to remember that if you are to shop early right now is the time to get at it.

Ten million patrons saw football this year, and that was more money than we used in saving the country.

There is $250,000 in the Christmas savings clubs; and now listen to the noise bankers will make to keep us from spending it.

Rivers and harbors would like to have about $72,000,000 this time, and if they get it it won't keep them from asking for more.

A $50,000 fire at Sullivan with only $20,000 insurance is a story that would read better if the figures were reversed.

If you are looking for a place to dump cinders, take them down to Franklin hill, where no questions will be asked.

From the People

"Old Home Town" Stuff.

Shelbyville, Dec. 1.

Editor Review:

The Shelbyville fire department Sunday morning was a poor parody on the "Old Home Town" department before Otey Walker was made chief.

The blaze burned right merrily. The roof of residence on Broadway was afire for half an hour, while the fire trucks tried in vain to reach the fire. Finally an auto was hitched on.

Fortunately the house had been emptied of its contents by the neighbors before the firemen arrived.

The hose resembled a sieve. There were four lovely fountains all playing at one time from the leaky hose. The water pressure would hardly reach the roof of the house. Finally an automobile hauled another hose to the scene of action. Then everybody got organized. They got up steam and the water pressure was enough to knock the shingles off the roof. The fire was finally put out.

Shelbyville should get busy and fix up its fire department. A new truck and more hose are badly needed.

Why wait for more serious losses due to lack of equipment?

FRIENDLY OBSERVER.

Cut-Out Nuisance.

Decatur, Dec. 1.

Editor Review:

Is there still in existence a city law forbidding open cut-outs within the limits of Decatur? If so, somebody ought to attract it to the attention of the young man who drove a car bearing license number 461-011, Sunday morning. Sabbath quiet has no meaning to him.

DISTURBED RESIDENT.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

HE WANTS US.

"And He said unto him, thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind."

God wants the heart, soul and mind. He does not want us writing creeds nor barring any that He has chosen. He wants us and He will take care of his own.—Rev. Thos. C. House, pastor Christian church of Tuscola.

REVIEW BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Editor Review:

Question—Who is the secretary of the State Manufacturers' Association and what is his address?

Answer—John M. Glenn, Fort Dearborn, room 1400, Chicago, Ill.

ABOUT TOWN

OPPORTUNITY knocks but once, say some; but for a certain boy and his mother it was scattered all along the street one day last week, and the woman and her son cooperated in seizing it before it got away. A certain biscuit factory has been distributing samples of its wares—a five-cent package of this new cracker being left on each porch in a considerable section of the east side.

One woman tells of seeing a small boy and a woman, evidently the youngster's mother, passing along one of the streets where the distribution had just been made, and wherever the housewife had not yet taken the sample package from the porch, the boy ran up and got it, then returned to the sidewalk and handed it to his mother, who thus obtained an armful while the observer watched and meditated on the future of a boy who received such training from his mother.

INSTITUTE PLANS FARM MEETING

Chicago, Dec. 2—The board of directors of the Illinois Farmers Institute held an executive session here Monday when plans were discussed for the annual Farmers Institute to be held in Paris, Ill., in February. Charles Holmes, of Tuscola, Ill., chairman of the meeting, said more than 5,000 farmers are expected to attend the annual institute.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

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IT'S ALL IN THIS.

It's all in this: a kindly deed,
A helping hand to one need,
A cheering word, a smile displayed,
And thus another friend is made;
Another friend your worth to tell,
To think of you and wish you well.

It's all in this: a way serene,
Too big to do an action mean;
Too wise to speak the bitter thing
Of narrowness which leaves a sting;
Respect for each man's creed or trade,
By this good friends are always made.

It's all in this: to put aside
The pettiness of pomp and pride,
To know that death must level all,
And that this span of time is small;
To deal with men, and at the end
To have them mourn you as a friend.

It's all in this: each life must be
Engraved at last in memory.
And you shall learn as you grow old
Life's joy lies not in fame or gold;
But, whether low or high the grade,
It's in the loyal friends you've made.

Little Benny's Notebook

I was late for suppir agen tonite, being a bad nite to be late on account of having bin late last nite and the nite before, and I wawked home fast trying to think up a good ixcuse without being able to think up eny except bum ones and ones that use to be good before I used them so mutch, and I wawked in the dining room still thinking, pop saying, Well well, look whose dropped in to pay us a little social call and maybe have a bite to eat, if he's lucky.

Youre a stranger, Benny, my sister Gladdis sed, Hows every little thing out ware youve bin keeping yourself? she sed, and ma sed, This is too mutch, this ixceeds the limit, you don't ixpect to sit down at this table, do you?

Well, I got a good ixcuse, I sed.

I doubt it, but Im lissening, ma sed.

Meening wat was it, and I sed, Well I better not tell you now because I dont want to spoil your appetite, do you wunt to heer it now?

Sit down and eat, ma sed. Wich I started to, ma saying to pop, I never know wat he's going to say and Im sure I have no violent desire to lissen to eny grewsome story or enything wile Im half way in the mist of my dinnir.

And after we had ate dizzert she sed, Now, wy were you late after the warning I gave you yestidday?

Some little kid left go of his balloon and it went up in the air and us fellows waited for it to come down and it wouldent, and it certeny took it a long time making up its mind not to, I sed, and ma sed, Weir, wats in that to spoil enybodys appetite?

Well, I thawt if I mentioned balloons it mite remind you of sausidges, and you know sausidges made you sick one time, I sed.

I mite of known it would be something brilliant like that, ma sed. And its no laffing matter either, you 2, she sed. Meening pop and Gladdis.

Ony they kepp on laffing jest as if it was.

LEE PAPE.

INTERNATIONAL CON MAN HAS LIBERTY

Indianapolis, Dec. 2—Charles H. (Chappie) Moran, internationally known confidence man, who was arrested here Oct. 6, and early in November, turned over to authorities at Gary, Ind., has been released from the Lake county jail on $3,000 bond, it was learned here Monday, and his present whereabouts are not known.

BAKERIES PROGRESS TOWARD MERGER

New York, Dec. 2—Incorporation of the "Purity Bakeries Corporation with authorized capital of $15,000,000, par value 7 per cent cumulative, preferred stock, 400,000 shares of class A stock and 500,000 shares of class B stock, another step in the consolidation movement in the baking industry throughout the country was announced Monday. The certificate of incorporation was filed in Delaware.

NICE, FRANCE, HAS 22 SECOND TORNADO

Nice, France, Dec. 2 — A tornado swept the city Monday morning lasting about 22 seconds. A number of buildings crumpled under the fury of the storm and about seventy persons were injured.

SEVEN FIRES TOLL IN NEW YORK CITY

New York, Dec. 2—Seven persons, four men and three women, lost their lives, and 10 were injured, in a fire which early Monday swept through a rooming house.

RADIO

Programs

(Decatur Time)

Tuesday Program.

CHICAGO STATIONS.

6 p. m.—
WMAQ (447.5)—Chicago Theater organ recital.
WGN (370)—Organ recital from Lyon & Healy.
WLS (345)—Summary of live stock, grain, dairy, fruit and vegetable markets for the day; farm news bulletins; weekly summary of fruit and vegetable markets.
KYW (536)—General news review.
6:30 p. m.—
WMAQ (447.5)—Hotel La Salle orchestra.
WLS (345)—Ralph Emerson at the Barton organ.
KYW (536)—Bedtime story told by "Uncle Bob."
WGN (370)—Dinner concert.
7 p. m.—
WEBH (370)—Edgewater Beach Oriole orchestra; Jessie Beers Steck, soprano; baritone solo by Charles E. Deskins, and piano solo by Dean Remick.
WQJ (448)—Dinner concert by Ralph Williams' Rainbo Garden orchestra; Excelsior Quartet, and Dorothy Davis Dilton, soprano.
WLS (345)—"Lullaby Time," Glenn Rowell and Ford Rush; Jimmy Westbrook, tenor.
KYW (536)—Dinner concert from the Congress Hotel.
7:30 p. m.—
WLS (345)—Isham Jones' College Inn orchestra; Jimmy Westbrook, tenor.
KYW (536)—"Around the Town with KYW in Chicago."
8 p. m.—
WMAQ (447.5)—Literary talk.
KYW (536)—Musical program.
WLS (345)—"Inquisitive Broadcaster."
WGN (370)—Dinner concert.
8:20 p. m.—
WMAQ (447.5)—Orchestra concert under the auspices of the Bush Conservatory of Music at Orchestra Hall.
KYW (536)—Speeches under the auspices of the American Farm Bureau Federation.
8:30 p. m.—
WGN (370)—Studio program.
8:50 to 9:30 p. m.—
KYW (536)—Musical program continued.
9 p. m.—
WLS (345)—Saddler feature.
WEBH (370)—Edgewater Beach Oriole orchestra; Harry Davis, baritone and songs by the Dennis sisters.
10 p. m.—
WGN (370)—Dance program by Jack Chapman dance orchestra and Don Bestor Blackstone orchestra.
KYW (536)—"At Home" program, featuring Coon-Sanders Original Nighthawks.
WLS (345)—Walther League program; Isham Jones' College Inn orchestra; Ford and Glenn.
WQJ (448)—Ralph Williams' Rainbo Skylarks; James Mitchell, baritone; Verris Boyd Mitchell, soprano; Carl G. Linner, pianist; Harry Geise and his "How Do You Do" song; Nubs Allen, contralto; Viola Graff, soprano; Rogers boys, Larry and Billy, and Will Hossiter.
11 to 12 p. m.—
WEBH (370)—Edgewater Beach Oriole orchestra; baritone solo by Harry Davis; instrumental numbers by the Edgewater Beach Trio; piano solo by Dean Remick; special numbers by Williamson brothers, and program by artists from Balaban & Katz' Riviera Theater.
WLS (345)—Merchants Trust Company Glee Club.
12 midnight—
WLS (345)—Midnite Review, Ralph Emerson at the Barton organ; Isham Jones College Inn orchestra, and Ford and Glenn.

OTHER STATIONS.

6 p. m.—
WTAS (286)—Elgin, Dinner concert by the Tip-Top Inn String Sextet.
WHAF (492)—New York City, Dinner music.
WHAM (277.8)—Rochester, Eastman Theater orchestra.
WFI (395)—Philadelphia, Children's program.
WIP (509)—Philadelphia, Bedtime stories.
WOAW (526)—Omaha, "Advice to Lovelorn" period.
7:30 p. m.—
WCCO (417)—St. Paul-Minneapolis, Hotel Radisson orchestra.
WJY (405)—New York City, Concert orchestra.
KGO (312)—Oakland, Orchestra program.
KDKA (326)—East Pittsburgh, Feature program.
WGY (380)—Schenectady, Drama talk.
WJAX (389)—Cleveland, Studio program.
WJJD (278)—Mooseheart, Ill. Organ recital.
6:45 to 7:45 p. m.—
WTAY (285)—Oak Park, Bedtime story by Glenn Bruce; Sandy Meek, baritone; orchestra music.
7 p. m.—
WRC (469)—Washington, "Show Shopping."
WGY (380)—Schenectady, Organ recital.
WCAE (462)—Pittsburgh, Concert.
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati, Hotel Gibson orchestra.
7:15 p. m.—
WJJD (278)—Mooseheart, Band concert
7:30 p. m.—
WSOE (240)—Milwaukee, Feature program.
KDKA (326)—E. Pittsburgh, Concert.
WWJ (580)—Detroit, Program.
WJY (405)—New York City, Dramatic readings.
WFAA (476)—Fort Worth, Special program.
WHAS (400)—Louisville, Concert.
KOB (360)—State College, N. M.; radio talks.
8 p. m.—
KGO (312)—Oakland, Special program.
KHJ (395)—Los Angeles, Concert orchestra.
WGBS (330)—New York City, Talk on "The Theater."
WJAR (360)—Providence, "The Ever-ready Hour."
WIP (509)—Philadelphia, Recital.
WSAI (309)—Cincinnati, Musical program.
WTAS (286)—Elgin, Dance program by the Terrace Garden orchestra.
8:30 p. m.—
WMC (500)—Memphis, Concert orchestra.
WJZ (455)—New York City, Talk.
WFAA (476)—Dallas, The Cullom Sisters.
WBZ (337)—Springfield, Concert.
9 p. m.—
KPO (423)—San Francisco, Fairmont Hotel orchestra.
KSD (546)—St. Louis, Program.
WHB (411)—Kansas City, Feature program.
WOAW (526)—Omaha, Merry Musical Maids.
WFI (395)—Philadelphia, Program.
WCX (517)—Detroit, Red Apple Club.
9 to 9:45 and 10:15 to 11:15 p. m.—
WTAY (283)—Oak Park, Roland Hinkel, tenor; Ray Crock and Harry Sosnik at two pianos; Guyon's Paradise Ballroom orchestra.
9:15 p. m.—
WRC (469)—Washington, Dance music.
WNAC (278)—Boston, Orchestra program.
9:30 p. m.—
WHN (330)—New York City, Accordion solos.
WLW (420)—Cincinnati, Concert.
WGBS (330)—New York City, Violin solo.
WBAP (476)—Fort Worth, Mandolin orchestra.
10 p. m.—
KGO (312)—Oakland, Studio program.
KGW (492)—Portland, Agricultural lecture.
KDKA (326)—E. Pittsburgh, Concert.
WGBS (330)—New York City, Orchestra music.
WHN (360)—New York City, Vocal music.
10:30 p. m.—
WGY (380)—Schenectady, Organ recital.
10:20 p. m.—
KGW (492)—Portland, Concert.
10:45 p. m.—
WOAW (526)—Omaha, Woal frolic.
11 p. m.—
WMC (500)—Memphis, Midnight frolic.
WFAA (476)—Dallas, Organ recital.
KFI (469)—Los Angeles, Examiner studio program.
WHN (360)—New York City, Ted Lewis and his Symphonic Clowns.
11:45 p. m.—
WDAF (411)—Kansas City, Nighthawk frolic.
12 midnight—
KFI (469)—Los Angeles, Packard Ballad hour.
KPO (423)—San Francisco, Band music.
KHJ (395)—Los Angeles, Biltmore Hotel orchestra.
KGO (312)—Oakland, Dance music.

Wednesday Program.

(Courtesy of Radio Digest).
(By Associated Press).

WSB Atlanta Journal (429) 10:45 woman's division Chamber of Commerce.
KFGZ Berrien Springs (270) 7 story; 9:15 string trio; 8:50 book chat; 9:45 vocal.
WEEI Boston (303) 6 Big Brother club; 6:40 musical; 7 Lynn night; 8 contralto; 8:30 musical; 10 dance; 10:30 organ.
WGR Buffalo (319) 6 lecture; 7 concert; 9 30 dance music.
WMAQ Chicago News (447.5) 6 organ; 6 30 stories; 8 lecture; 8 30 musical; 9 playnight; 9:45 talk.
WEBH Chicago (370) 7 songs; 9 orchestra, readings, vocal; 11 soloists.
KYW Chicago (536) 6:25 story; 7 concert; 7.30-9:10 musical, stage review, talks; 9:45 revue, Nighthawks, organ.
WLS Chicago (345) 6:30 organ; 7-9:30 entertainers, farm program, book talk; 10 soprano; 10:30 orchestra.
WLW Cincinnati (423) 8-10 orchestra band concerts.
WTAM Cleveland (390) 7 concert.
WOC Davenport (484) 7 Sandman, 8 organ, soprano.
WCX Detroit (517) 6 musical program.
WWJ Detroit News (517) 7:30 News orchestra, tenor.
KNX Hollywood (337) 9 orchestra; 10 feature; 12 orchestra.
WOS Jefferson City (440.9) 8 address; 8.30 musical, choir.
WHB Kansas City (411) 7-8 program, talk, pianist, soprano.
WDAF Kansas City Star (411) 6-7 story lady, ensemble; 8-9:15 program; 11:45-1 Nighthawks.
KHJ Los Angeles Times (395) 8:30 children; 10 lecture; 10 45 classical; 11:30 singer banjoist; 12 orchestr.
WHAS Louisville Times (400) 7.30-9 Hawaiian quintette.
WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul (417) 7 vesper service; 9 musical.
WJJD Mooseheart (278) junior hour.
WEAF New York (492) 6 United Synagogue of America; 6 30 soprano; 7 talk; 7:20 Philharmonic society.
WEN New York (360) 6 orchestra; 6 10 talk; 6:45 Jewish; 7 trio; 8 piano trio; 8.30 orchestra; 9 dance.
WJZ New York (455) 6 orchestra; 7 Wall St. Journal review, 7:10 talk; 9 30 orchestra.
WOR Newark (405) 7 orchestra; 8 15 program; 9:30 program.
WTAY Oak Park (283) 6:45-7 15; piano-logues; talk, orchestra.
KGO Oakland (312) 6 orchestra.
WDAR Philadelphia (395) 6:30 talk, 7 talks; 8 recital; 9:05 dance.
WOO Philadelphia (509) 6:30 orchestra; 7:30 recital; 9:05 recital; 9:30 dance.
WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 6:30 Sunshine girl; 6:45 special; 7 program; 8:30 concert
KGW Portland (492) 7 children; 10 concert; 12 orchestra.
WKAQ Porto Rico (360) 10-11:30 concert
KPO San Francisco (423) 6:30 orchestra; 7:30 children; 9 orchestra; 10 band
KFQX Seattle (238) 8 reports; 8 bedtime, 10 orchestra; 12 music.
WBZ Springfield (337) 6 45 bedtime; 6:55-8 civil service, concert trio, vocal, 8 concert; 10 orchestra; 10:30 popular songs; 10:45 orchestra.
KSD St. Louis Post Dispatch (546) 6:45 ensemble; 9 announced. It orchestra.

The Story of Decatur

50 YEARS AGO TODAY

(As Told By The Daily Republican.)

There are at the present time one thousand three hundred and forty-five convicts in the penitentiary at Joliet.

Good timothy hay was [illegible] the square (Lincoln square) today for $13 per ton.

Coroner-elect Augustus [illegible] required of him yesterday and was sworn into office.

Operations at the rolling [illegible] ceased again. Since last [illegible] hands have been laid off [illegible] account of a scarcity of [illegible] and partly because the b[illegible] fixed.

The ladies of the [illegible] church will give their annual [illegible] and festival Christmas day and evening, in the lecture room of the church.

The street crossing [illegible] work today cleaning the [illegible] mud off the crossings in the [illegible] part of the city.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review)

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dock [illegible] ter left on an extended trip [illegible] California.

Rev. John D. Jordan preached [illegible] first sermon as pastor for the [illegible] Baptist church.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(As Told by The Daily Review)

R. W. Ferguson sued the Standard Oil Co. for $150,000 for [illegible] the ordinance in [illegible] It [illegible] the biggest amount ever [illegible] suit in this county.

Henry W. Hudson [illegible] manager of the [illegible] American Hominy Co. to [illegible] L. Shallenberger.

Gilbert Barnes gave a [illegible] at the performance "Babes in [illegible] and her father, Dr. W. H. Barnes [illegible] the chaperon.

Decatur to World [illegible] tickets to St. Louis [illegible] game was $2.[illegible]

John Bl[illegible] dents and we[illegible] New [illegible] Equipment [illegible] and per[illegible]

TEN YEARS AGO

NEED 864 JURORS TO TRY ONE MAN

Chicago, Dec. 2—It will take [illegible] jurors to try Joseph [illegible] discovered Monday. [illegible] found that he had been [illegible] times on one of [illegible] in each case had [illegible] tried.

KNOX GIRL, STAR DEBATER, IS DEAD

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. [illegible] Shoemaker, 17, a freshman [illegible] college, who led the [illegible] school debating squad to victory [illegible] the "Big Eight" association [illegible] year, died Monday.

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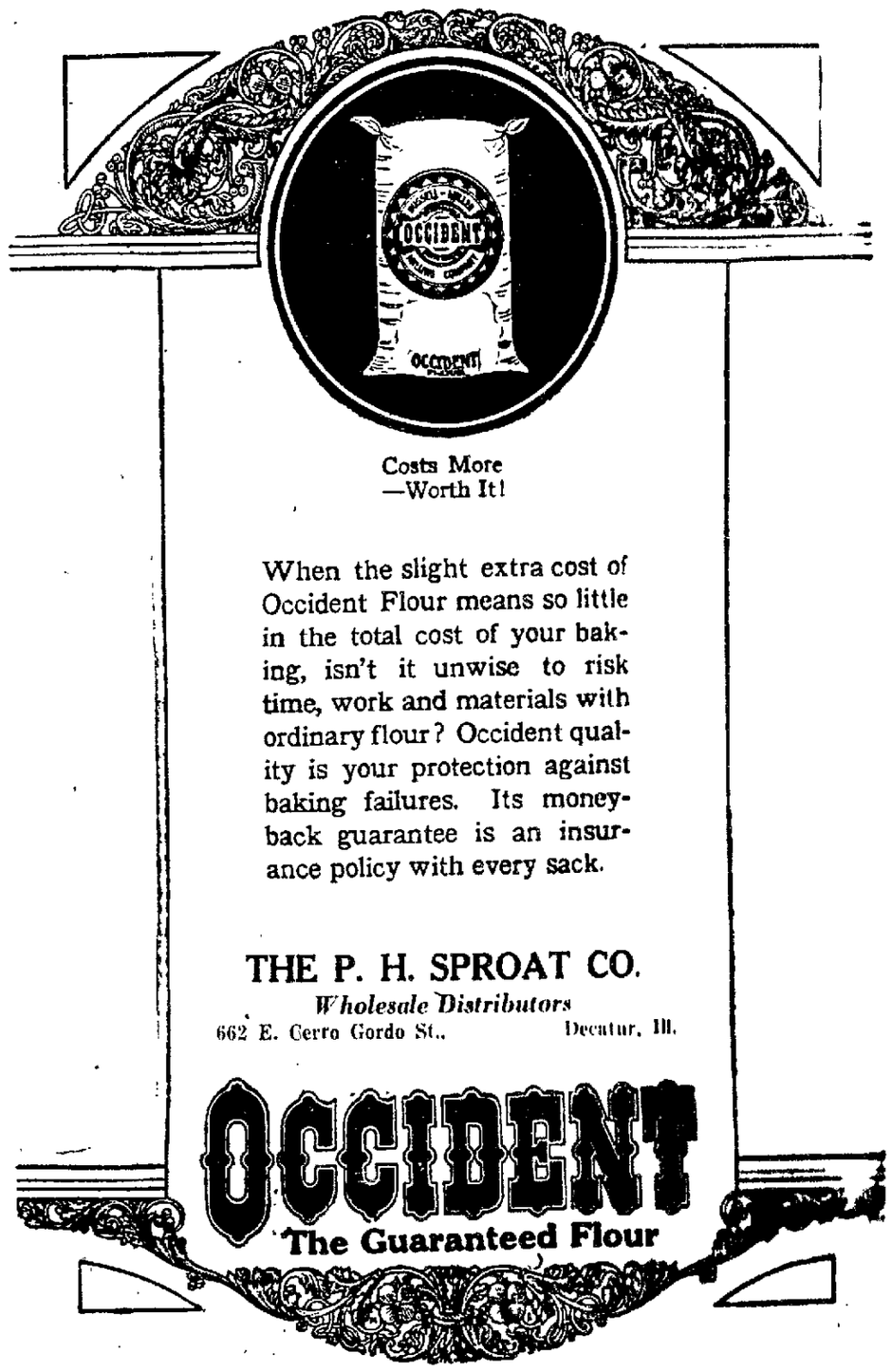

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MOSQUITO TAX HELD ILLEGAL

Judge Rules on School Levies in Christian County.

Taylorville, Dec. 2—In a decision handed down in the county court Monday, Judge C. J. Vogelsang ruled that tax money levied by the Mt. Auburn community high school against the landowners of Mosquito township was not legal, since Mosquito township was legally detached from the district.

The court also held that the Morrisonville community high school tax levy made in 1923 was good because the judgment of the supreme court rendering the district invalid had not been made prior to the levy, and up to the time of such judgment the district was legal.

Thomas Graham and Otis Owens, local young men, will go on trial Tuesday, Dec. 9, in the circuit court for the murder of Cobb Wallace, who was found fatally injured and robbed near the Williford bridge about a month ago.

OLD FARMER DIES.

B. F. Hall, 77, farmer, for twenty years a resident near Taylorville, died at 12 o'clock Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Norer, 620 East Esther street. He had been in failing health for five years.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 18, 1847, and came to Illinois at the age of fourteen in a covered wagon.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Nancy Hall, two children, Mrs. Henry Norer and Mrs. Frances Rozek, both of Taylorville, and the following brothers, James Hall, Taylorville; Wesley, Butler, Mo.; Joe, Joliet, and Aaron of Formosa, Kan. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

LEGION RALLY.

A special meeting of all legionnaires of Christian county has been called for Thursday night at the legion hall in Taylorville, for the purpose of formulating and organizing a county unit in this county.

Fitch Harwood, senior state vice commander, will be present to explain the methods and purpose of the organization. Officers will be elected and feed and smoker will bring the meeting to a close.

HOME ECONOMICS.

The home economics department of the Woman's club met with Mrs. Campbell Tuesday afternoon. Leader, Mrs. Alfred Slatter. The following program was given.

Decorating the Home for Christmas—Mrs. F. J. Black.

Benefits of Community Christmas Tree—Mrs. S. C. Livergood.

Christmas Gift Display—Mrs. E. R. Wines.

Christmas Carols—by Keynote club.

Mrs. James Drennan is in a critical condition at her home on East Poplar street.

BABY DIES.

Herman Daniel Pearson, infant son of Dan F. and Myrtle Dodd-Pearson, died Sunday morning at 7 o'clock at the home of his parents, 611 East Poplar street.

He was born Jan. 28, 1924, in Kingsport, Tenn., his parents coming to this city Sept. 1.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the residence, Rev. E. J. Campbell officiating.

Burial was made in the Oak Hill cemetery.

TO BE MARRIED.

It has been announced that Miss Creta Oddy, daughter of Mrs. George Oddy, 729 East Poplar street, and Harry Tonks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tonks, will be married in the near future. They will make their home in this city where the groom is employed.

CLUB PROGRAM.

The Literary department of the Woman's club met with Mrs. Harry Hershey Tuesday afternoon. Leader, Mrs. T. L. Rickaby.

The program:

Essays (Agnes Repplier)—Mrs. L. Reese.

Play, "Sun Up" (Lula Vollmer)—Mrs. D. D. Shumway.

Poetry (Lew Sarrett)—Mrs. Rickaby.

78 YEARS OLD.

Mrs. George Shivers celebrated her seventy-eighth birthday Sunday at her home on West Franklin street. A number of guests were present and a excellent dinner was served.

STONINGTON STAR.

Bernard Livergood of Stonington starred in Notre Dame-Carnegie Tech football game Saturday. He made two of the Note Dame touchdowns.

J. A. Homes, an old soldier, is in a critical condition at his home on East Esther street.

WINS PRIZES.

Oscar Bullman, Elsie Hardy and Victor Lehner all of Christian county, were awarded third, fourth and seventh place respectively, at the B. & O. State Poultry show at Breeze Friday.

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Princess Slips at $1 —Sateen Princess Slips; many colors $1

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Wednesday Bargains in
DRAPERIES

5 Yards Marquisette, $1
—36-in. white curtain marquisette; brand new stock; five yards for $1

$1.50 Ruffled Curtains, $1
—Fine, ruffled scrim curtains; 2½ yards long with tie-backs to match. $1.50 value, pair $1

4 Yards Quaker Nets, $1
—36-in. genuine Quaker Filet curtain nets; in ivory color. 40c value, four yards $1

3 Yds. 50c Cretonnes, $1
—36-in. high grade drapery cretonnes; in a good range of patterns. 3 yards $1

5 Yards Silkaline, $1
—36-in. fine silkalines in light and dark colors. 35c value, five yards $1

Rug Bargains

—Six-Foot Certainteed Composition floor covering. Square yard 39c
—Twelve-Foot Linoleum, real cork printed. $1.50 value, square yard $1
—Six Foot genuine Inlaid Linoleum, $1.75 value, square yard $1.25
—Genuine Congoleum Rugs, 9x12 in size. Pretty borders. Choice .. $12.95
—Genuine Congoleum Rugs, 9x12 in size. Borderless. Special at .. $10.95
—27x54 Imported Rag Rugs; pretty colors. $1.50 values, special $1

49c

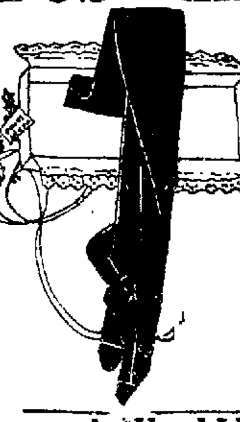
For Wednesday: 300 of These Beautiful
New Decorated Metal Serving Trays 49c

—This is our first great Christmas special, and what a commotion it will make. Just three hundred of the trays to go! They're metal trays 11 inches in diameter and in the patterns pictured above—

A Stork Design, A Ship Design, A Fruit Design, A Peacock Design, A Rose Design and The Parisian Design.

—The regular price of such trays is around $1. At our price women will not only buy for Christmas giving but will choose them for their own use. Buy them, beginning Wednesday, at just 49c each.

Wednesday Is Bobolink Day: 600 Prs. of
Bobolink SILK HOSE



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—If you didn't get your share of these famous GUARANTEED silk stockings, come in tomorrow.

—They're spring needle knit, heavy pure silk, narrowed ankle, high heel splicing and ravel-stop welting at the top.

—Shown in every fashionable color; also in black. Don't forget, they're guaranteed to satisfy or you get a new pair.

Women's Wool Hose
—Women's fancy woolen hose in check and pretty plaids. Many colors and all sizes. At a pair $1.19

Full Fashioned Silks At
—Radmoor full fashioned heavy pure thread silk hose in all the desired shades. All sizes. Pair $1.49

Men's Wool Socks
—Men's part wool socks in the new fancy plaid designs and colors. In all sizes. At a pair 59c

Children's Lisle Hose
—Children's fine lisle hose in winter shades. Well made and warm. In all sizes. At a pair 50c

Wednesday Bargains
Wash Goods Silks, Wools

—32-IN. ZEPHYR dress ginghams in pretty plaid and check [illegible] value [illegible] yard ... $1
—36-IN. ROBE FLANNELS [illegible] dark grounds [illegible] $1 value [illegible] yard ... 89c
—36-IN. MADRAS SHIRTING white ground [illegible] ... $1
—32-IN. ROMPER CLOTH [illegible] ... $1
—36-IN. CREPE SUITINGS [illegible] ... $1
—36-IN. MERCERIZED SATEENS in black [illegible] ... $1
—36-IN. WOOL DRESS GOODS, in checks and stripes [illegible] children's wear. Yard ... $1
—36-IN. SILK AND COTTON PONGEE, natural color for dresses and drapes [illegible] ... $1
—33-IN. ALL SILK IMPORTED JAP PONGEE [illegible] fine quality. A yard ... $1
—36-IN. SILK FAILLE [illegible] ... $1

Men's Silk Socks Two Pairs $1
—Heavy pure silk socks [illegible] colors. 75c kind. 2 prs. $1

Thrifty Housekeepers Will Appreciate This Money-Saving
Dollar Sale Of Staple Domestics

—81x90 sheets, bleached, seamless, $1.50 values .. $1
—35c pillow cases, full bleached, four cases for $1
—Hope muslin, the genuine, eight yards for ... $1
—Linen kerchief squares, 12x12, at 8 for $1
—Linen lawn, 36 in. for kerchiefs, at ayard $1
—15c brown muslin, yard wide, ten yards for $1
—25c brown muslin 40-in. six yards for $1
—22c brown muslin, yard-wide, seven yards for ... $1

—$1.50 all-linen damask 64-inch, cream, a yard ... $1
—$1 Renfrew colored damask at two yards for .. $1
—58x58 oilcloth table squares, pebble, at each . $1

60x60 and 54x54
$1.50 Lunch Cloths
Blue Printed $1
—200 of these large size Jap blue printed table cloths; $1.50 values at ....

—64x76 single blankets, plaids, $1.50 values, each $1
—40x68 grey blankets in $1.50 values, a pair $1
—35c white outing flannel, 36-in. 4 yards for $1
—72x90 quilted cotton batts, $1.25 values, each $1
—35c linen glass toweling, neat checks, 4 yard $1
—39c. all-linen toweling, 21-inch, four yard $1
—45-in. ecru linens, all linen, very fine, yard $1
—17x25 bed pillows, art tick covered, at each $1

$10 All-Wool Blankets, $6.95 A Pair

—Biggest wool blanket bargain in years! 66x80 blankets, all-wool, in exquisite plaids and colors, $10 retailers. One pair to customer, a pair, $6.95

Children's All-Wool
$4-$5 Sweaters
—High-grade, all-wool sweaters; four smart styles; many colors; sizes up to 34; $4 and $5 garments; choice $3

Men's and Women's
$8-$10 Sweaters
—Men's and women's heavy all-wool slip-over and coat Sweaters; rope-stitch and shaker; all colors; at $5

Slip-Over Style
Boys' Sweaters
—Boys' all-wool Sweaters; in colors with circular stripes; regular $4 values; choice at $2.95

Less Than Half-Price for New
Mid-Winter Millinery

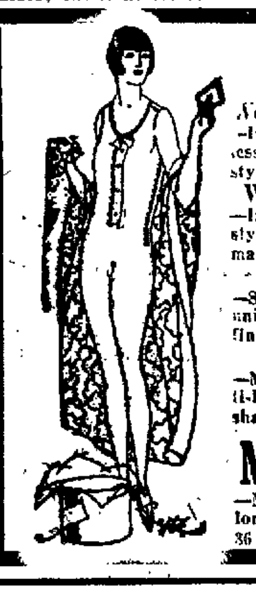
—Shown in this group, are clever cloches, turbans, high and low crown hats of fine velvets and hatters' plush. In all colors and ways of trimmings. To $9 values, at $2.50

—Every kind of a cloche, crown or way of trimming, is represented. They're one-of-a-kind creations. In all colors; many are metallic trimmed. Regular $12 and $15 values, at $5

Fifty Hats To Go At $1 Each
—They're hats worth up to $6. Just fifty of them to go. Many different styles and colors. Large and small sizes, $1.

Boys' Wool Suits $2.95
—Little boys' Junior Wool Suits of heather mixtures. In sizes 3 to 8 yrs. Well made garments. $2.95.

Underwear Bargains



Wom.'s Union Suits $1
—In ribbed, fleeced sleeveless and long sleeve styles. All sizes, at .. $1

Women's Suits, $1.39
—In fine lisle, knee length styles; tailor made. $1.50 and.. $1.39

Women's Suits, $2
—Silk and wool sleeveless union suits; extra fine garments. At $2

Petti-bloomers, $1
—Mercerized Jersey knit petti-bloomers, many shades. All sizes, at ... $1

Children's Suits $1
—Extra button, warm fleeced suits; sizes 2 to 16. A suit, $1.25 and $1

Girls' Suits at 89c
—In ankle or knee length; fine ribbed; all sizes. Suit, $1 and ..89c

Boys' Suits at $1
—Extra fine, heavy fleeced suits; sizes 2 to 16 years. Special at $1

Men's Suits at $4.95
—Silk and wool suits, of high excellence. In all sizes. At suit $4.95

Men's $1.75 Union Suits $1.25
—Men's high grade warm fleeced union suits; shown with long sleeves and ankle length. In all sizes from 36 to 46. Fine made garments. $1.75 values, at .. $1.25

Women's and Girls'
Straps & Oxfords
$2 Pair
—Patent lace oxfords with flat heels; sizes 3 to 6. Also broken sizes of patent and kid fancy straps. Spanish heels. Pair, $2.

The New Tie Styles
$4.95
—Patent and tan calfskin cut-out dress draw string ties with military covered heels. Shown in all sizes. At a pair, $4.95.

Regular $1.69
Men's Shirts
$1

Neckband & Collar Attached Styles.

—Of fine 80-square Percales and high grade printed Madras cloths. Sizes 14 to 17. $1.

Again Wednesday: The $1.75
Imported Suedine Gauntlets
$1 Pair

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Women's $1.50
Outing Gowns
—Women's heavy well made outing flannel gowns in sizes 16 and 17. Choice $1

Children's Warm
Knit Sleepers $1
—Fine quality knit sleepers, sizes 0 to 8. Well made and warm. Choice $1

Heavy Flannelette
Men's Nightshirts
—Men's fine quality night shirts of warm flannelette. Cut full $1.50

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STORY CONTEST ENDS SATURDAY

Entries Coming in At The Review Office.

Entries in The Review annual prize story contest are now beginning to come in at The Review office. By noon Tuesday four had been received. It is evident that a number of students used the Thanks-giving vacation to finish up their stories and get them in readiness to turn in.

UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

High school students are busy pegging away on their stories, and it is expected that every day now more entries will be made. Stories are undergoing their finishing touches. While the students have until midnight Saturday night to turn in their stories, it is well not to leave the final work until the last minute.

NOT TOO LATE.

It is not too late yet to decide to write a story, if a student has not yet done so. The fact that one didn't get a story started before this is no bar to getting started now, and those who have not yet written should get busy at once. The prizes this year are well worth striving for, not to mention the benefit a student will gain from the experience of writing and the honor of winning a prize or a place on the honor roll.

CONDITIONS.

The conditions of the contest are as follows:

The contest is open to any student in the high school.

The story must not exceed 1,000 words. It may be as much shorter as the writer desires to make it.

The story must be handed in at The Review office before midnight, Saturday, December 6.

It must be written with ink and on only one side of the paper. A typewriter may not be used. The paper must be on the examination paper used in the high school.

HOW TO SUBMIT

The manuscript must not be signed or sealed, but must be accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the name of the story, the writer's name, age and year in school. When the manuscript is left at The Review office a number will be put on it and the same number will be put on the sealed envelope. No one will know who wrote the story until the awards have been made and the sealed envelope with the same number as the story is opened.

MUST BE ORIGINAL

The story must be original as to composition and must not have been previously published as a story.

The story must be an account of an actual occurrence or thing, or based directly upon such occurrence or thing. There is no limit to the time of the facts made use of.

It is not necessary that the story should be confined to an account of bald facts. The purpose of the story may be artistic—that is, the production of a story with the intention of interesting and pleasing. Truth, as applied to such a story, will consist in fidelity to the meaning and spirit of the facts upon which the story is based.

PRIZES.

The prizes are:
Fifteen dollars for the first.
Ten dollars for the second.
Eight dollars for the third.
Five dollars for the fourth.
Three dollars for the fifth.
A place on the honor roll.
All stories are subject to publication in The Review.

65 BUSHELS HIGH YIELD OF CORN

Farm Bureau Not Expecting Any Large Yields.

No big acreage records for corn are expected this year at the Farm Bureau office. Up to the present sixty-five bushels per acre is the highest amount that has been reported, and there are some who reported sixty to sixty-five bushels.

Others who had that amount last year are reporting that the corn is turning out from forty to forty-five bushels. Those who had seventy-five to eighty last year are the ones who are reporting sixty to sixty-five this fall.

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DEVELOPMENT OF MEXICO DISCUSSED

Prof. R. E. Long Gives Lecture At J. M. U.

"The Development of Mexico" was the subject of a lecture given Monday afternoon in the Little Theater at the James Millikin university by Prof. R. E. Long. In his lecture Prof. Long told of the political history of Mexico since the overthrow of the Diaz rule in 1908 and of the significance of the revolutions since then, which tend to bring conditions up to a much better level as far as education, wages, working conditions, etc., are concerned, for the peons.

SHOWS SCENES.

With his talk Prof. Long showed a number of slides furnished by the Pan-American Union, which helped illustrate some of the points in his lecture. In addition the scenes included colored views of interesting old Maya cities in Yucatan, the ruins at Mitla Ooxaca, some famous aztec ruins, the Calendar Stone, and also views showing the industrial growth of Mexico and a number of the various industries. Scenes showing cotton, tobacco, henequen and panama hat industries were shown.

The lecture was for the Spanish students at the university and in addition to many of these students several outsiders and other students and faculty members were present.

BASKETBALL.

The first call for intramural basketball has been issued at the Millikin university and it is expected that there will be an especially large turn-out this season. The men may sign up as teams and seven men will compose each team. The teams this year will not represent fraternities or sororities in the tournament play, but will go under names picked by themselves. A good turn-out is expected, and teams were signing up Tuesday morning just as soon as the announcement was placed on the bulletin board.

RACE FOR SILVER CUP.

When the official announcement of Millidek Day coming on Wednesday was made in chapel Tuesday morning, indications were that there would be a spirited race for the large silver cup to be given to the Greek letter organization having a hundred per cent paid up first. The cup—a fifteen inch silver trophy with blue and white ribbons attached—was placed on exhibition Tuesday before the student body. For the non-fraternity and sorority students, a free Millidek is to be awarded the person whose name is drawn by the staff after all subscriptions are in.

DR. LANDRITH COMES.

Dr. Ira Landrith of Chicago, is to speak in the Millikin university auditorium Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, at 8:15 upon the subject "Today and the America For It." Admission is free.

FIRST COW BRINGS TOP PRICE, $96

Other News of Happenings Around Sullivan.

Sullivan, Dec. 2 — Wood & Little held their first combination sale at their sale barn here in Sullivan Saturday November 29. Milch cows were sold at a price ranging from $25 to $96. The first cow sold brought the top price of $96, from then on the most of them brought between $40 and $60. A large crowd attended the sale. They will hold another sale at this barn in two weeks.

CAFE IS SOLD.

The Cocentry' Cafe located on the Northwest corner of the square has been sold to Earl Higgenbottom of Moweaqua, Ill., who will take possession on Monday Dec. 1. Mr. Higgenbottom, is an experienced resturant man having only recently sold his restaurant in Moweaqua. Mr. Coventry has not decided as to what he will do in the future.

CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL.

The funeral services of Mrs. Hattie B. Cunningham were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist church conducted by Rev. Milton Wilson, pastor of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Cunningham who died in the Decatur Macon County hospital at Decatur on Wednesday Nov. 26 after only being ill for a few hours with euremic poisoning, was born Nov. 22, 1880 and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ballard, formerly of Cadwell, Ill. She had lived in and near Cadwell nearly all of her life and was very well known in Sullivan having lived here a few years. She was united in marriage to Allen Myres of near Cadwell in 1900. Mr. Myres died in 1912. She was united in marriage to Marion Cunningham of Sullivan on Feb. 14, 1914.

She leaves to mourn her death besides her husband, two brothers, George and Claude Ballard of near Cadwell and four sisters, Mrs. John Davis and Mrs. Sherman Selby of Lovington, Mrs. Grover Farris of Monmouth Illinois and Mrs. Basil McKown of Sullivan. She also leaves one half brother Harold Ballard of Arthur.

The pallbearers were Ed Harmon Jacob Landgrebe, O. A. Foster, H. Y. Kingery, Orman Newbould, and T. J. McIntire. The flower girls were Mrs. E. O. Dunscomb, Mrs. W. H Boyce, Mrs. A. C. Dearth and Miss Goldie Creech. Funeral hymns were sung by a male quartet consisting of Judge O. F. Cochran, S. P. English, J. A. Sabin, and E. W. Richardson. Interment in the Greenhill cemetery.

LADIES' AID MEETS AT MECHANICSBURG

Mechanicsburg, Dec. 2—The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Samuel Farmer all day Wednesday. The day was spent in sewing for their annual bazaar Dec. 12. At noon a bounteous cafeteria dinner was served. Those present were Mesdames Harry Hagaman, Clark, R. E. Farmer, Carl Farmer, John Ostermeire, Orrin Lobdill, H. B. Short, Samuel Mathews, Misses Ollie Hampton, Elizabeth Farmer. The Aid will meet this week Thursday with O. S. Lobdill.

The Foreign Missionary of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. E. Farmer.

The Foreign Missionary of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Frank Darnall Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Fairchild of Decatur spent a few days last week with her brother Charley Sparrow and family.

Mrs. Mable Carlock and daughter, Margaret of Champaign, spent the week-end here with Dr. Riddle and family.

Miss Katie Beck has returned home from a three weeks visit in Lincoln with her sister, Mrs. George Armstrong.

Rev. Mr. Funk, wife and baby attended the dedication of the new Methodist church at Rochester Sunday afternoon.

The women of Methodist church made $200 at their Thanksgiving bazaar and cafeteria dinner last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jacob Byerline entertained a number of women at a birthday dinner Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Mason of Michigan spent last week with Mrs. James Lemons.

O. S. Lobdill is serving on the jury this week.

GOODWIN-MORRELL NOKOMIS WEDDING

Nokomis, Dec 2.—Miss Alice Goodwin, a well known young lady of Nokomis, was united in marriage here last Saturday to Roy Morrell of this city. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goodwin, well known people of this place. The groom is a son of the late Thomas H. Morrell, a former well known Democratic politician of Montgomery county. The newly weds will soon begin housekeeping at their home in Nokomis.

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Aunt Jemima 15 inches high — Uncle Mose — Little Diana — Little Wade 12 inches high

Here's more fun for the kiddies than they've had in a year! A whole family of jolly, rollicking Aunt Jemima Rag Dolls, brightly colored, ranging from 12 to 15 inches in height.

There's Aunt Jemima herself, whose delicious pancakes have already made her so great a favorite with the children. And there's Uncle Mose, and Wade, and Diana—four of them altogether, every one with a cheery smile. How the kiddies love them!

Such delightful toys for so little money

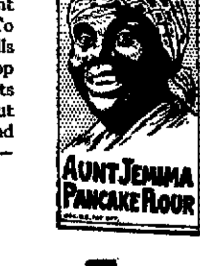
How to get these dolls? Just tear the top from a package of Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour or Prepared Buckwheat Flour and send it to us with only twenty-five cents. You'll have them, all four, within a few days, ready to cut out and stuff.

And think of the wonderful pancakes you'll have! Only with Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour can you get that old-time plantation flavor that has made her recipe for pancakes the most famous in America.

Send for the dolls today

Ask your grocer today for a package of Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour or Aunt Jemima Prepared Buckwheat Flour. To get the jolly Aunt Jemima Rag Dolls for the children's Christmas, mail the top of either package, with twenty-five cents (wrapped so that the coins won't cut the envelope) and with your name and address, plainly written or printed, to—

"I'se in town, Honey!"



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Just exactly 150 hats in the sale, so early choice is advisable. No approvals. No exchanges, credits or refunds.

SECOND FLOOR

Choose Christmas Gifts From

The Gift Shop Picture Section

IN THE big, new picture section of the Gift Shop, you are certain to find many pictures suitable for gift giving. There are portraits, nature studies, landscapes and other subjects—copies of famous originals. There is notable variety to choose from, and each picture is artistically framed. Many sizes and styles, priced $1 to $10 each. —Fourth Floor.

$57.50 to $75 Values in a Sale of

New Fur Trimmed Coats

$49.50

THESE are coats selected from our own regular assortments; coats of that splendid quality for which apparel from this store is noted. They are modish and new—and low priced.

—They are fashioned of blocked angora, blocked suedine, truvonette, downy-wool furlaine and kashanara, with collars, cuffs, sometimes edgings and bandings, of beaver, muskrat, Korean fox and opossum. The colors are penny, saddle, green, black, brown and cranberry. Sizes 14 to 42.

—The styles are those just now in greatest favor. They are regular $57.50 to $75 values, special, for Wednesday only, at this low price of $49.50 each.

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Modish, Clever

Dixie Ties $5

THAT women and misses favor "Dixie Ties" [illegible]

New Velvet Ties, $5

[illegible]

The "Shingle Bob" $5

[illegible]

Want To Look Slender? Then Try a

New Girdle

HUNDREDS of women are wearing these wonder girdles of resilient rubber and selected elastic—they actually make one seem lighter, more slender, from the time they are put on.

Madame X Girdles

Madame X reducing girdles of pink brocaded rubber, with clasp fronts, are $12.85.

Madame X "step-in" reducing girdles of pink rubber are priced $11.85 each.

"Nemolastik" Girdles

—New Nemo girdles of "Nemolastik" are dainty garments in peach color. Combination front lace and step in style. $10.

Henderson Girdles

—Of selected rubber, covered with pink Milanese silk, these new Henderson "Rubber de Luxe" Reducing Girdles are very effective indeed. Choice of front lace models, or back-lace models with front clasps. $10.

New Reducing Brassieres are priced $5 to $5.75.

SECOND FLOOR

Greeting Cards

IT is best to choose greeting cards and seals long before Christmas, before best ones are gone. Just now we have full stocks.

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DECATUR DAILY REVIEW

20 Pages Today—Two Sections | DECATUR, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1924. | Pages 9—20

Kills Wife As She Goes To Meet "Other" Man

Odell Hicks Shoots After Pleading With Wife—Gives Self Up to Police.

After shooting his wife four times because she had insisted on keeping a date with a railroader, Odell Perkins Hicks of 1921 North Railroad avenue carried the dying woman into the home of W. A. Robinson, 1338 East Whitmer street, where Mrs. Hicks had been rooming, and remained with her head pillowed on his arm until the ambulance came. Then he helped place her on the stretcher and offered no resistance when the officers placed him under arrest.

Mrs. Hicks was hurried to St. Mary's hospital in the Moran & Sons ambulance, but she died there within ten minutes.

LOVE GROWN COLD.

According to the story told by Hicks, it is another case where a woman not satisfied with her own husband quit him for another man and the husband became desperate when she refused to give up the other man.

The shooting occurred in the yard in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson, 1338 East Whitmer street, shortly before 7 o'clock Monday night. Hicks told the police that he and his wife had been separated about four months. He is about thirty-six years old and he said she was thirty-five on April 21. He said that they were married in May, 1913, but that she had acted as his housekeeper for six years before they were married.

DECIDED TO SEPARATE.

When the United States became involved in the world war Hicks enlisted and for awhile was stationed at Camp Gordon in Georgia. Hicks said that they got along fine until a few months ago, when she became dissatisfied, and they finally decided to separate. This was four months ago and they were living in Vandalia.

Mrs. Hicks went away, but Hicks remained in Vandalia until in November, when he came to Decatur and got a job driving a coal wagon for J. K. Miser, for whom he had worked before. He made his home with his father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hicks, 1921 North Railroad avenue.

TOGETHER RECENTLY.

Hicks told the police that his wife arrived in Decatur two weeks later and he met her and talked with her two or three times, and had hoped to get their differences patched up. He said that they spent Thanksgiving night together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and that he was with her again Saturday night and Sunday night.

Some one told him that his wife was keeping company with a railroader, whose name he could not recall, and that she had a date to meet this man Monday night. His hope of a reconcillation shattered, he let jealousy get the upper hand of him and he searched through his trunk and got his thirty-eight calibre revolver and resolved that he would prevent her keeping her date with the railroader at any cost. He said he had never been in the habit of carrying a gun, but that he expected to find his wife in company with the other man and intended to be prepared.

PLEADED WITH WIFE.

Mrs. Hicks was at the Robinson home when he arrived, but the railroader was not there. Supper was just being served.

"She asked me why I had come," said Hicks, "and I asked her if there was any reason why I should not come, since she was my wife. She told me she was not going to stay there any way, that she was going out for the evening. Then I accused her of going with the railroader and of having a date with him that night, and she did not deny it.

"I followed her through four rooms of the house, pleading with her not to go out that night. I followed her out onto the porch and put my arms around her and told her I would not allow her to keep that date. She insisted that she would, and pushed me away from her. As she walked toward the sidewalk I took her by the arm and tried to talk to her, but she jerked away from me, and I shot her.

NOT DRUNK OR CRAZY.

"I am not drunk or crazy, and I am sorry that I did it. If I had it to do over again I would have acted differently. I am sorry that she is dead."

"Hicks, you have killed me," said the woman as she sank to the ground. Placing his revolver back in his pocket, Hicks picked his wife up in his arms and carried her into the house placing her in a chair, where he stood holding her head on his arm until the arrival of the ambulance and the police officers.

SOME DELAY.

The Moran & Sons ambulance and the Dawson & Wikoff ambulance arrived in a few minutes, but there was considerable delay. A few minutes after the shooting a rumor had spread that Hicks, armed with a shot gun, had barricaded himself in the house and probably would kill any one who came near, so the ambulance men waited until the arrival of the officers. Assistant Chief Gullford and the officers walked in, meeting with no resistance, and the ambulance men came in with the stretcher. Hicks helped them place his wife on the stretcher and then gave himself up to the officers.

WANTS FATHER.

At police headquarters Hicks said that he had taken two drinks of mule in the afternoon, but that they had not had any effect on him. He asked that he be sent with officers so that he could talk with his father, but they told him they would send for his father and they could talk at police headquarters. He praised his step-mother, saying she had been a real mother to him. He said that his wife has no relatives in Decatur, but that her mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Swagerty, live near Greenville. He said Mrs. Hicks was born in Fayette county April 21, 1889.

SHOT IN BREAST.

Two of the bullets entered the left breast of Mrs. Hicks. The third shot entered her left shoulder and the fourth grazed her arm near the wrist.

The body was removed to the Dawson & Wikoff undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

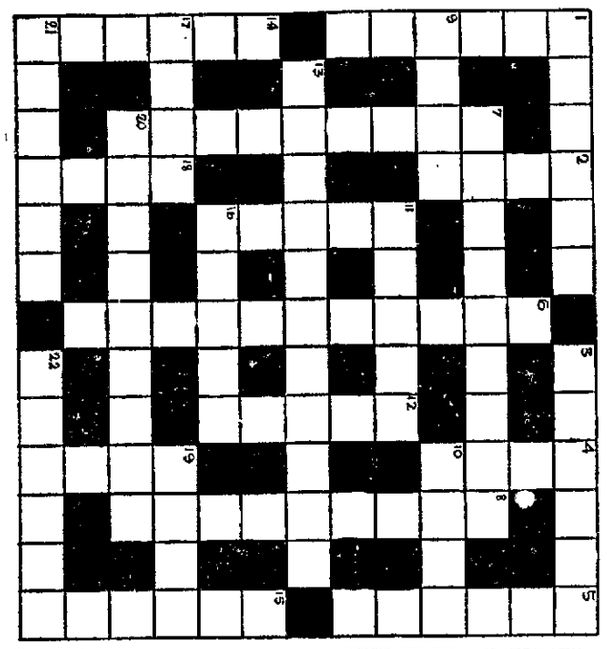
J. K. Miser for whom Hicks had been working, expressed great surprise when told of the tragedy.

"He has worked for me at two different times during the last year," said Mr. Miser, "and delivered a coal order for me late Monday afternoon. He always seemed to be a quiet, good-natured man and seemed to get along well with the other men. I could hardly believe it when I heard he had shot his wife. He has been working for me about four weeks this time."

GRAND JURY TO REPORT FRIDAY

The grand jury will meet at 9 o'clock Friday morning to make its report on the murder of Hyman Rubenstein, for which John Stacey of Louisville, Ky., is being held, and State's Attorney C. F. Evans stated Tuesday morning that the Hicks case may be taken up by the grand jury at that time. The witnesses are all here, and it probably would not take more than two hours to hear the evidence.

Crossword Puzzle



This is the great unkeyed mystery. This loose design has but 26 words in it, both horizontal and vertical, but they fit together beautifully. Two definitions are given for every word excepting one, which ought to help bridge the unkeyed holes.

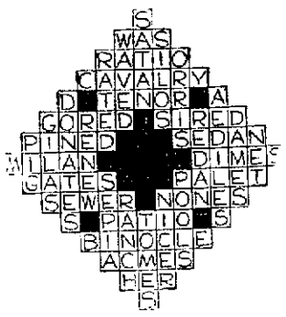
HORIZONTAL.

1. Heavy rolling sound, as of thunder; murmur.
3. Fumed; cured.
7. Answered; replied
9. Observed; viewed.
10. Plant germ, that [illegible] anything springs.
11. Imitates, ridicules
13. A chance or possible occurrence; casualty.
16. A thick, sticky liquid, boiled sugar and water.
17. Air; melody.
19. Eject; put out.
20. Salutations; welcomes
21. Ascends; gets on.
22. That which discloses [illegible] of a series of games.

VERTICAL.

1. Stands on perches.
2. Have existed, past participle of be.
4. Poems; sonnets of praise
5. Possessive of synonym for fop or dude.
6. Condense; bring together.
7. Applying logic; sensing
8. Tasty, delightful.
11. Companions; comrades
12. Repose; slumber.
14. Regard; to prize.
15. Parent, slimy substance found in vinegar
18. Poetic name for Ireland.
19. To eye; stare at.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.



POLICE NOTES.

J. B. Austin, 177 North Dennis avenue was fined $6.15 by Justice Lloyd for parking over time.

G. C. Knickerbocker, 140 West Main street, was fined $18.40 by Justice Dickinson for having wrong license plates on his car.

E. J. Spencer, 508 North Water street, W. W. Bryan 635 West Division, and Alva J. Keele 1231 West Main, were fined $6.15 each by Justice Lloyd for parking over time.

Orrin Phillips of Springfield was fined $6.40 by Justice Lloyd for allowing his engine to run unattended.

Nellie Causey, arrested on complaint of Mrs. Ratliff for disturbing the peace gave bond to appear Dec 7 before Justice Lloyd.

James L. Myrtle, 1430 Eas. Leafland, was arrested for being drunk and possessing liquor.

BEARSDALE A. H. T. A. TO SERVE OYSTERS

To Have Box Social Also Saturday Night.

Preparations are being made for a large crowd at an oyster supper which is to be served by the Bearsdale Anti Horse Thief association in the hall just north of Bearsdale, urday night. There will be a box social in connection with the supper.

Invitations have been sent to members and friends within a large territory.

Fred Sowers is chairman of the general committee for the affair. Frank Troutman is the chairman of the committee on boxes and Mrs. A. Stroh is in charge of preparation for the oyster supper.

The general committee for the affair met Monday night to make first arrangements.

VIC MEYERS AND ORCHESTRA COMING

To Play At Moose Hall Tuesday Evening Dec. 9.

Vic Meyers and his recording orchestra have been secured for an evening concert at Moose hall, Tuesday, Dec. 9. This is the regular recording orchestra numbering ten persons and will play a program of thirty or thirty-five numbers during the evening. The orchestra will play from 8:30 to 12 o'clock.

MEET TONIGHT ON PET STOCK SHOW

Final Arrangements to Be Made for Exhibit Next Week.

A meeting of the members of the Allied Pet Stock association will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night in the county court room to talk over final arrangements for the fourth annual show, which is to be held next week in the armory on West Wood street. Prospective exhibitors are invited to attend the meeting as all the division chairmen will be present at the meeting to answer any questions in regard to the show.

DEDICATION OF NEW PARSONAGE

$700 Deficit Lifted at Harmony Celebration.

Sunday, Nov. 30, was the day for the dedication of the parsonage at the Harmony United Brethren church, which has recently been changed from a former store building into a dining hall to which have been added five living roms for the pastor's manse, located just across from the church.

The present pastor, Rev. Sylvester Sanford was stationed here in September by the Illinois annual conference, held in the First United Brethren church in Decatur. Immediately upon his arrival in the community, he began the work of completing the parsonage and hall. The hall serves as the social center for church activities.

LASTS ALL DAY.

The pastor had previously arranged a program for an all day's service which was well attended during the entire day. The regular Sunday school and preaching services were held in the morning, with a number of special musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental, by local talent Dr. W. L. Perkins, conference superintendent, delivered the morning sermon and dedicated the parsonage.

CAME FROM AFAR.

An elaborate country dinner was served in the hall to over two hundred people, coming from every surrounding town for miles around, many being former residents of the community.

The afternoon program consisted of a great variety of vocal and instrumental music. Beside various selections by the local young people, the male quartet of Decatur First United Brethren church, Shiloh quartet, furnished music. There were numbers by Gertrude and Twila Munch of Decatur and Mrs. Elma Heinle of Argenta.

Fraternal greetings were given by visiting pastors.

Evening lunch was served and the day was said to be the greatest occasion ever held at this noted community center.

RAISE DEBT.

A deficit of about $700 was raised in a few minutes in the morning [illegible] service and the fund was swelled $100 in the afternoon [illegible] fund for the hall.

Letters of greetings were read from Rev. W. H. Arbogast of Decatur and also Rev. J. H. Crowder, who had an engagement at the Chicago [illegible]

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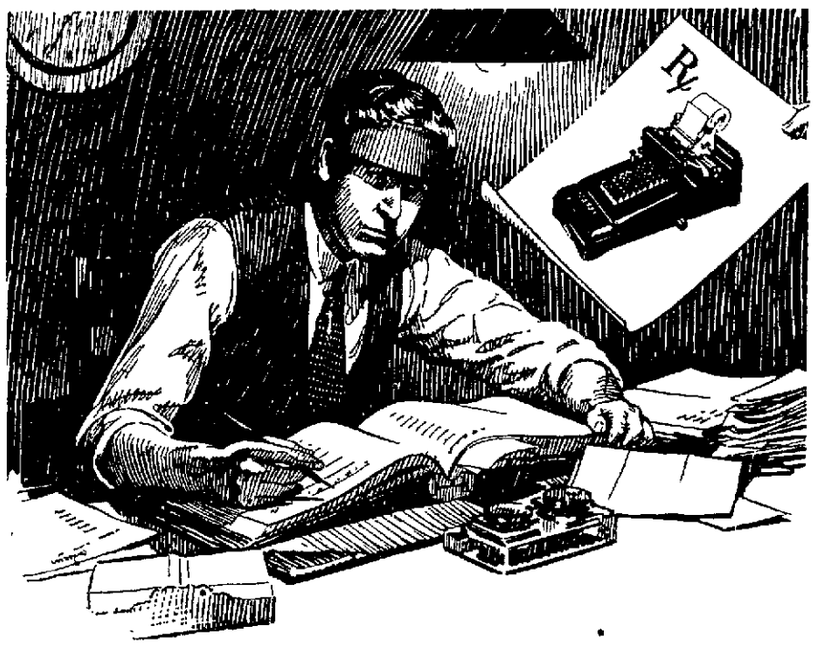

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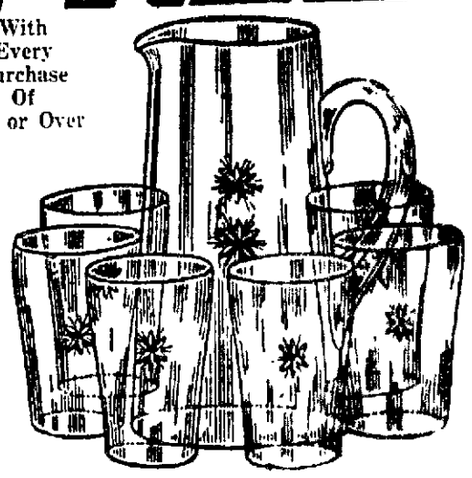

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SOCIAL·NEWS

P. E. O. TO BRING GIFTS FOR CHILDREN AT DAY NURSERY

On account of several of the members planning to be out of town for Christmas and the various social activities of local folk during that time, the annual Christmas party for members of P. E. O. chapter will be held Monday evening Dec. 8 instead of the scheduled time Dec. ...

In the home of Mrs. E. P. Irving ... Place according to announcement ... the home of Mrs. ... West ... avenue. Mrs. Robert I. Hunt will be assisting hostess. ... Each member bringing gifts to ... each will bring a gift for the children of the Decatur Day Nursery, the gifts to be distributed by Mrs. Eugenie M. Bacon and Mrs. Robert Mueller ... of ... the board ... nursery.

In the ... business ... Monday evening a few candidates was recommended to partake of the educational fund. Mrs. Dar... ... Mrs. T. ... Mills gave ... and ...

... were ... attendance at the meeting ... with her and ... as hostesses.

... and ... sister and Mr. and Mrs. ... Klauser and family were guests ... Sunday in the home of ... and Mrs. Adolph Reiss ...

INVITATIONS have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wagner for bridge dinner to be given Saturday evening in the Country Club. ... guests have been invited.

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Members of the Mystery Club ... Monday evening in the home of Mr. ... W. Weir ... East North Pr... street, with seven members present. A business session was held followed by the card play. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Mrs. Smith Crowder of Red ... Cal. formerly a resident of Decatur, is visiting her mother Mrs. D. ... Shellabarger, West Decatur street. She plans to remain until after the holidays ... which time Mr. ... will join her.

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ART GUILD EXHIBIT DEC. 11 TO 19

The annual exhibit of the Art Guild of the Millikin university will be held in the Art Institute from Dec. 11 to Dec. 19, the work of the exhibit being done by the members of the guild. There will be a number of the pictures and articles made by the students offered for sale. Mrs. Laura Height will lend the Guild fabrics which are to be used in interior decorating. The Whitmer Shop will also have ... of pieces of ... and wo... ...

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The White Rose club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ruck... 113 East North street. The club will have the Christmas exchange.

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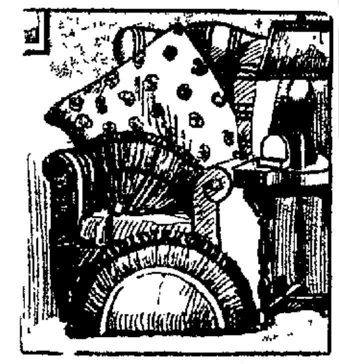
The Coterie club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Edmund Hall 905 North Mercer street.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS PILLOWS



An unusual shaped pillow which makes an ideal gift is the semi-circular ... metal brocade pictured below with an edge of rose colored velvet shirred on very full leaving a ruffle about the rounded edge. Above is a square of tapestry made original and interesting by shirring velvet across one edge and adding a tassel to that particular corner.

Members of the M. I. H. club will not meet this Thursday with Mrs. Hastings on account of sickness, the meeting having been indefinitely postponed.

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The Elks Ladies club will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Elks club rooms to make arrangements for the annual Christmas party. All members are urged to be present.

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The Dauntless club was entertained on Monday evening by Miss Iva Puckett ... South Crea street. A business meeting was held and the officers for the coming year were elected. A prize was given to the group completing a cross-word puzzle in the shortest time. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The members of the club will entertain the mothers with dinner and a theater party on Tuesday December ...

MARRIED.

CISNA-McCRATH

Miss ... Cisna, 324 ... and Edward I. McCrath ... at the Wabash and residing at the ... were issued a marriage license in Chicago Tuesday. The bride's home is in Independence Iowa but for the last three years she has resided in Decatur. She is a nurse.

DANIEL-SPAINHOUR

Robert M. Daniel and Mrs. ... Spainhour both of Clinton were married in Decatur Monday afternoon, the ceremony being performed at 5 o'clock by Judge J. H. McCoy at the court house.

MRS. T. J. PRENTICE IS COUNCIL HEAD

Address Given By Rev. Wilbert Dowson.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Council Monday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. T. J. Prentice was elected president of the organization for the year of 1925. The meeting Monday was the last one this year. Following are the officers of the council who were unanimously elected by the council:

President—Mrs. T. J. Prentice
First vice president—Mrs. Dan ...
Second vice president—Mrs. Robert L. Henry
Recording secretary—Mrs. ... O. ...
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. ... H. Laird
Treasurer—Mrs. J. J. Caldwell

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Board of directors—President M. W. H. Snyder, Mrs. C. D. Steele, Miss Maria Buckingham, Mrs. Charles H. Patterson.

A delightful musical program was given by Mr. and Mrs. Emil Fox and Miss Vivienne Mosbarger.

THREE COMFORTS

Three comforts have been given by Mrs. Mary Whitney 1640 North Gulick avenue to the Boys Opportunity Home according to the report given by Mrs. C. H. Patterson. Mrs. Whitney finds enjoyment in making the comforts and plans to send the comforts to the Atlantic ... in need. There was a discussion of the need of contributions of wash cloths and tea towels for the Boys Opportunity Home.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

"Law Enforcement" was the general subject of the interesting talk given by Rev. Wilbert Dowson pastor of the Grace Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Dowson stated that the word law was a much loved and a much hated word according to the way it is used. To the law abiding people the good honest and upright, the word law is a beautiful word and to the people who are doing wrong it is a much hated word.

He continued: "But whether we like it or whether we don't we know that civilization and civilized nations can exist only so long as the people of a country obey the laws of the country. If the people of a country are permitted to disregard and disobey certain laws it is sure to have the effect of bringing all laws into contempt. Every law breaker regardless of his social position or whether he be rich or poor should be required to pay the penalty of the laws he has violated."

IN ENGLAND

The speaker compared the law as enforced in England and the law in America. He told of an instance where a policeman was killed, even before Mr. Dowson was born and of a cross being made in the grass beside the road where the man was killed. This is renewed every year. He said that scarcely anybody ever carries a revolver and that he never saw one until he was twenty-one years old. In the last thirty-five years in America over 3,000 persons have been lynched. In 1916 in Chicago with its two and a half millions population there were twenty more murders than the whole of Great Britain and Wales with their thirty-eight millions. New York had exactly six times as many culpable homicides as London.

Rev. Mr. Dawson complimented Judge Baldwin in calling a special session of the grand jury for special consideration of the John Stacy case.

In closing the speaker stated: "Those of us who are old enough to set examples must set the right kind of examples. Our respect for authority and law must be such as to impress our children. Our ... code of character. Every encouragement should be given to those who are trying to enforce the law."

ATTRACTIVE FROCK

... dinner frock of ... crepe beaded with champagne colored beads in border designs. It is worn over a slip of champagne colored satin and very slightly belted with a band of the material.

BRINGS SUIT FOR $10,000 DAMAGE

Mrs. Anna Bolay Sues Merrill W. Colby for Accident

Mrs. Anna Bolay through her attorneys Jack & Deel has filed suit against Merrill W. Colby for $10,000 damages on account of injuries alleged to have been sustained in an automobile accident in October 192...

OSGOOD-HEINER TO KEEP BRANCH

Expect to Relocate in Sullivan.

Damage to the Osgood & Heiner branch in Sullivan incurred in the fire of Monday will amount to well around $5,000 it was estimated by Harold Osgood secretary of the company, Tuesday. An inventory is now being taken to determine the exact amount of the loss.

The company will re-establish its plant in Sullivan if a suitable location for it can be found, Mr. Osgood said. Although the garment factory did not work full time during the year and was only used to carry the expansion of the Decatur factory, it employed about thirty-five persons for almost six of every twelve months in the year.

The Sullivan Chamber of Commerce is anxious that the plant remain in Sullivan and are making every effort to secure a suitable location.

1235 ASK JOBS; ON 836 OFFERED

More Looking For Work Than Same Time Last Year.

The labor supply in Decatur exceeded the demand by 399 during November the monthly report of the free employment bureau shows. During November there were 1,235 seeking jobs and 836 employers with jobs to offer. The situation is much worse than November of 1923 when there were 83... applications for jobs.

Of the number of applicants the bureau last month placed applicants of 824 referred to positions. In 1923 6.0 were placed of 629 references.

Easily Explained.

The two small children were ... ing their way home from the kindergarten school. They talked as children will, about all the exciting things that had been happening in their respective homes. Then

Gladys—"My daddy sold our dog last week and it came home yesterday afternoon."

Ivy—"How funny! ... found its way back?"

Gladys—"Why ... on its collar of course."

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The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon, apply it at night when retiring, use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

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CHRISTMAS CANDY.

Pecan Marguerites

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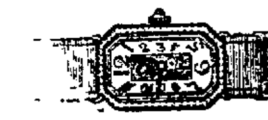

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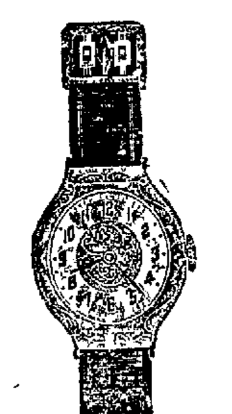

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Luncheon—Cream of corn soup, oyster salad, graham bread, sliced oranges, feather cake, milk, tea.

Dinner—Broiled lamb chops, martinique potatoes, scalloped tomatoes, pear salad, fried cakes and cheese, whole wheat rolls, milk, coffee.

Children under 10 years of age will not indulge in the fried cakes and cheese for dinner.

The juice of the grapefruit should be served the children under six years of age one-half hour before breakfast. Then a well-cooked cereal with thin cream, the spinach and potato puffs, milk and toast furnish a hearty breakfast for the juniors that is easily digested.

OYSTER SALAD.

One pint small oysters, 1 cup diced celery, ½ cup nut meats, 1 lemon, salad dressing to make moist.

Wash and drain oysters. Scald in [illegible]. Drain and add juice of lemon. Let stand in a cold place [illegible] chilled. Combine with celery, nuts and mayonnaise and serve on a bed of lettuce.

MARTINIQUE POTATOES.

Four large smooth potatoes, 2 tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons cream, 1 egg, ½ teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, few drops onion juice.

[illegible] and bake in a hot oven for one hour. Scoop out the inside and mash. Add butter, cream, salt and pepper and yolk of egg well beaten. Cook, stirring constantly, for three minutes. Beat white of egg until stiff and dry and fold into mixture. Shape between two buttered spoons. Place on a buttered dripping pan and bake in a hot oven until nicely browned.

FRIED CAKES.

Two medium-sized potatoes, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 eggs, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup sweet milk, 3 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon grated nutmeg, ½ teaspoon salt, flour to roll.

[illegible] mash potatoes. Add butter and mix thoroughly. Stir in eggs well beaten and beat in sugar. Mix and sift two cups of flour, salt, baking powder and nutmeg and add to mixture. Add more flour. The dough should be as soft as possible [illegible] and roll easily. Roll on a floured molding board, cut with a ring cutter and fry in deep hot lard. Take from fat with a skewer [illegible] dipper and drain on brown paper.

The fat should be hot enough to brown a [illegible] of bread from [illegible] of the loaf in 60 seconds.

Fried cakes should come quickly to the top of the fat, brown on one side and then turn to brown on the other. They should be turned once.

Household Suggestions

SPICED CURRANTS.

Spiced currants or currant jelly [illegible] served with lamb or [illegible] since they supply the tart element that should not be lacking.

ADD ROSE WATER.

Add a few drops of rosewater to the alcohol you use for external application and the odor in the present-day preparations will not be objectionable.

WIDE-ARMED CHAIRS.

A wide-armed chair such as you [illegible] in cafeterias makes a most useful kitchen chair, painted to match the woodwork. The broad arm makes a convenient place to rest utensils, or to copy recipes or do household figuring.

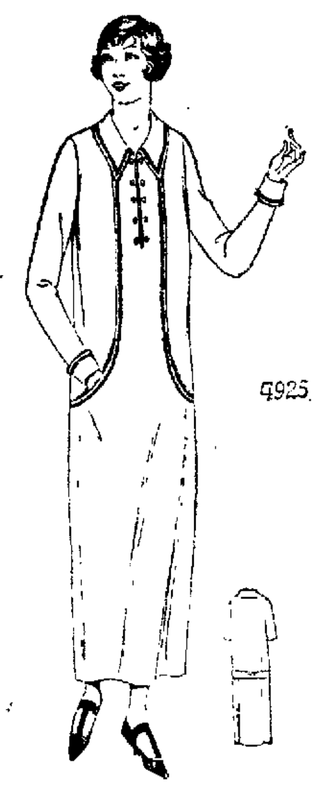
KEEP HANDS COOL.

When making popcorn balls keep a pan of cold water near and dip the hands in it frequently while molding. You can handle the balls while they are very hot and they will not stick.

FOR SUBSTITUTES.

Rice, spaghetti or macaroni should frequently be substituted for potatoes. Both are not necessary at the same meal since they are such starchy foods.

The Review's Own Styles and Patterns



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1925. Crepe, alpaca or linen and other wash fabrics may be used for this design. The front has inserted pocket sections. The sleeve may be short, or as shown in the large view, may be in the wrist length and finished with the cuff.

The pattern is cut in 7 sizes, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. A 38 inch size requires 4 yards of 40 inch material if made with long sleeves. If with short sleeves 3⅝ yards will be required. The width of the dress at the foot is 1⅝ yard.

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DRESSES

$9.95	$14.95	$23.95
One lot of Silk, Satin, Cloth and Flannel Dresses. Values to $30.	Another amazing group of Dresses of unusual Styles of Silk and Cloth Dresses. Values to $45.	The third group which we especially emphasize, are some of the newest styles. Former values to $55.

The weather this fall has retared the sale of dresses—the kind that are worn with coats are here in great numbers and great smartness—at prices that will astound you.

Fur Garments Included

To $65 Fur Jackets Go Tomorrow at $38

This group of super feature fur jackets will interest you for their beauty as well as their price. A fur garment may be worn for many seasons. The smartness of fur is permanent.

To $135 Bay Seal Fur Coat, 48-inch . . . $98

A fur coat will give your figure the lines of grace and elegance that you have dreamed of. The price on this group of coats is remarkably low—so low in fact that we could not duplicate them were we forced to buy more—at this price, wholesale.

The jacket pictured above is one from the regular Bright's stock. It has the style lines that are being worn in the Eastern cities and in Paris.

$15 Sweaters in the Sale—

$3.95

Bobbie coats, chappie coats, slip-on sweaters, coat-sweaters in all the smart wanted shades of the season are here in this remarkable sale at $3.95. They're in all sizes and colors. You are sure to find just the thing for you here.

New Era of Prosperity

Since the election stocks on the New York exchange have been climbing to new high levels. That's the first evidence of prosperity. Everyone is talking good times—people are making money. Farmers are getting good prices for their grain.

At this time we are offering fine apparel at January prices—it's a great opportunity for those who have not purchased all their requirements.

$2 Blouses 98c

These are some of the smartest blouses that this store has ever offered. They are slightly soiled—that's the reason for the low price. They're embroidered, and hemstitched—made with smart Dutch collars and quaint effects. Many of them are trimmed—Some have just a ribbon tie.

Smart Skirts $3.95

In plaids, stripes and plain colors, these skirts are of all the new and wanted materials of the season. The colors are smart and serviceable. They can be worn a great deal for classroom, office and street—and of course, sport. Former values to $10.00

Genuine

Squirrel Chokers $6.95

Squirrel chokers are usually sold for a great deal more money than this. A New York fur buyer makes it possible for us to sell these at this remarkable price. There are only a few dozen—Hurry.

'Typical Bright Bros.' Quality

The quality of the merchandise that is sold at this store is maintained during sales that are held at various times during the year. In this great feature sale all the fine merchandise is regular stock—there are no "job lots" so often found in stores that are less particular. You'll find the same kind of apparel you bought at the beginning of the season at half price.

Bright Bros.

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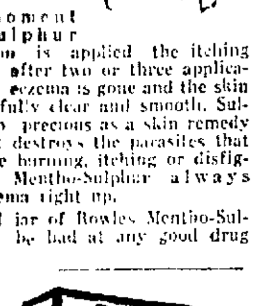
SULPHUR HEALS SKIN ERUPTIONS

Mentho - Sulphur, a pleasant cream, will soothe and heal skin that is irritated or broken out with eczema; that is covered with ugly rash or pimples or is rough or dry. Nothing subdues fiery skin eruptions so quickly, says a noted skin specialist.

The moment this sulphur preparation is applied the itching stops and after two or three applications, the eczema is gone and the skin is delightfully clear and smooth. Sulphur is so precious as a skin remedy because it destroys the parasites that cause the burning, itching or disfigurement. Mentho-Sulphur always heals eczema right up.

A small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur may be had at any good drug store.



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W. T. McFADDEN
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EDINBURG YOUTH DIES FROM BURNS

Threw Blasting Powder on Bonfire.

Taylorville, Dec. 2 — Russell Richard, sixteen years of age, died at the home of his parents, three miles south of Edinburg, late Monday evening from the effects of burns received Sunday when he and some other boys threw some blasting powder on a bonfire.

The boys got the powder from a mine in Edinburg. They were throwing it on a fire to watch it burn, when Russell got too close. When the powder exploded, his clothes caught fire and the burns received proved fatal.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Lodge Elections.

OLIVE BRANCH, R. N. A.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting of Olive Branch, No. 218, R. N. of A., Monday evening in the new Woodman hall, West Main street. The following officers were named:

Oracle—Mable F. Wacaser.
Vice-oracle—Elvira Cope.
Past-oracle—Viola Poehler.
Counselor—Leona Fortner.
Recorder—Kate Eshelman.
Receiver—Ada Zimmerly.
Marshal—Estella Coon.
Inner Sentinel—Mary Tohill.
Outer sentinel—Edna Braden.
Manager for three years—Florence McConnell.
Physicians—H. M. Wood, Clare Carber and Lillian Collier.
Musician—Jennie Pong.
Juvenile directory—Mary Shoup.
Delegate to state meeting in Springfield in March—Kate Eshelman.
Alternate—Mable F. Wacaser.

The officers will be installed the third Monday in January.

Pythian Sisters.

Officers for the coming year were elected at the regular meeting of the Decatur Temple, No. 137, Pythian Sisters, Monday night. They are as follows:

Past Chief—Esta Rex.
Most Excellent Chief—Rse Braden.
Excellent Senior—Esther Brown.
Excellent Junior—Martha Loeb.
Manager—Gurney Fry.
Mistress of Finance—Laura Hornback.
Mistress of records and correspondence—Frances Gritton.
Protector of Temple—Florence Halls.
Guard—Laura Sanderlin.
Trustee for three years—Florence Halls.
Representative to grand lodge—Laura Sanderlin.
Alternate—Frances Gritton.

Celestial Lodge I. O. O. F.

Officers for Celestial lodge 186, I. O. O. F. were elected Monday night for the coming term. The officers are.

Noble Grand—John Glatfelter.
Vice Grand—James Cutweiler.
Recording Secretary—C. K. Gillespie.
Financial Secretary—A. E. Wiess.
Treasurer—J. D. Cline.
Trustees—A. C. Lehman D. S. Bachelder, J. L. Moyer T. W. Oakes and C. A. Sowers.
Staff Captain—J. L. Moyer.

A. E. Wiess has been financial secretary for sixteen terms, and J. D. Cline, treasurer has held his office for three terms.

BANK WINS IN BLACKMAIL SUIT

London, Dec. 2—(P)—Justice Darling today returned judgment in favor of the Midland Bank in the suit brought against the bank by Charles E. Robinson, former bookmaker.

Mr. Robinson sued to recover 125,000 pounds sterling, which he alleged the bank owed him on account of a settlement with "Mr. A," an unnamed Indian potentate who had become intimate with his wife.

The bank asserted the money was never received for Robinson and alleged the plaintiff was a party to a blackmail plot to obtain the money from the mysterious "Mr. A."

A NEW COAT SALE! WOMEN'S $25 TO $35 COATS $17.75

Just in time to meet the needs of hundreds of women who are now ready to buy new winter coats comes this thrilling news of an immense purchase of 300 higher grade, fur trimmed coats by H. S. Gebhart Co. at a sensational reduction from regular prices.

They're beauties; exquisitely fashioned coats of Downy-wool, cut-Polaire, flamingo, plaid-back sport fabrics and suede velours, all sumptuously fur collared and beautifully lined. Sizes 16 to 44. Wednesday is the first day of their sale. Gebhart's pass the savings to Gebhart customers. Real $25, $30 and $32.50 coats, $17.75.—Adv.

BUSINESS MEN OF PANA IN BANQUET

Elks Have Indoor Circus for Basket Fund.

Pana, Dec. 2.—Member of the Pana Association of Commerce will enjoy a 6:30 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, in the hall opposite the association offices. The supper will be served by the Baptist Young People' Society, the proceeds of which will go toward the building fund of that church. Following the dinner there will be a program.

ELKS START SHOW.

The Big Circus and Pageant of Progress of the Pana Elks opened with a bang on Monday evening at the Roley Opera House. The big hall is beautifully decorated in Elks' colors and other decorations. There were several hundred people in attendance the opening night and everyone expressed the opinion that it was some affair. There is constant entertainment and many interesting features.

The proceeds from this affair will be used by the Elks to fill their baskets of food which are delivered annually to the deserving poor of the city. This is an annual custom of this organization and a very worthy one.

KILLED NEAR DOWELL.

J. F. McCullough, aged 40, a brother of Mrs. Olive Martin of this city was killed in an automobile accident near Dowell, Ill., on Sunday. The body passed through this city on Monday enroute to Tower Hill.

Mr. McCullough is survived by his widow and one son. The funeral services were held at Tower Hill at the Methodist church and interment there on Tuesday afternoon.

GOOD STOCK, GOOD PRICES.

The Jersey cow sale of W. F. McTaggart held on Saturday at the Henry Pfau barn in congress alley was a great success. There was some splendid stock for sale and it all brought a good price.

APPENDICITIS.

Prof. E. T. Wallace of Blackburn University at Carlinville is a patient at the Huber Memorial hospital in this city following an operation for acute appendicitis. Professor and Mrs. Wallace were in Assumption spending Thanksgiving Day with Mr. Wallace's parents, while enroute to Chicago to attend the International Live Stock show when he was stricken with appendicitis and was rushed to the hospital here. He is reported as getting along very nicely.

ELKS CONFERENCE.

L. G. Forbes, exalted ruler of the Pana lodge of Elks, attended a conference of exalted rulers and secretaries of the South Central District at Alton on Sunday.

DEATH A SHOCK.

The body of Mrs. Sarah Williams, wife of Tice Williams, who died Monday morning at 1:25 at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur, following an illness of pneumonia, will be brought to Pana overland on Wednesday and the funeral will take place at the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Booth officiating.

The burial will be at Linwood cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Williams comes as a shock to her many friends in Pana. She had been a resident here for over 45 years, residing with her husband on East Sixth street. About eighteen months ago the family moved to Decatur and resided on a farm near that city.

Mrs. Williams was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dorrah, and was born in Shelby county on July 17, 1869.

She is survived by her husband, Tice Williams and one son, Will Williams of Decatur.

BRIEF MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Penwell, went to Logansport, Ind., Sunday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. C. Penwell which took place there Monday morning.

Community Chest Subscriptions

These persons have done their bit—have you?

Name	Amount
A. E. Staley Mfg. Co.	2000.00
A. E. Staley Mfg Co. Employees.	
John Leyman	3.60
Gelm Peachner	3.60
H. Hack	3.00
Wilson Cannon	4.50
Roy Rollin	3.60
Ora Oyler	6.75
Geo. H. Hewitt	3.00
A. G. Waltens	4.05
S. B. Trowbridge	0.75
W. H. Deffenbaugh	4.00
Leo Provin	3.60
Dwight James	4.00
Ralf Fitch	6.75
E. N. Holtzman	6.75
James Hart	3.00
D. S. Williams	5.00
W. E. Long	1.00
John J. Weltz	2.00
E. F. Keller	1.00
W. Koshinski	2.00
Frank M. Pruitt	5.85
John Charnotzki	6.75
Chas. Korlinski	6.75
Wm. Curry	3.00
Mike Odonell	6.75
Tom McClosky	5.40
George Kochendorfer	6.72
John C. Hihns	5.00
R. L. Crisp	5.00
Curtis Spelbring	3.60
V. T. Smith	3.60
J. W. Ross	5.85
D. L. Fribourg	5.40
James Emert	4.50
William Whitley	4.80
Joe Spitler	6.75
Ira Russell	2.00
Ben Adkins	4.95
L. B. Humiston	10.00
W. R. Spicer	5.00
Alonzo Ragel	5.00
J. Ray Wallace	4.95
Adolph Babel	2.00
Claude Cain	4.95
Clarence Reed	4.95
J. C. Lappin	3.50
Earl Traughber	3.00
L. J. Elliott	4.40
Smith Hainey	4.95
H. C. Hoft	5.00
A. C. Taylor	1.00
Geo. Truebe	4.95
O. R. Hill	2.00
Joseph Brewer	5.00
David Ramsey	1.00
Cass Glover	4.40
Carl Benett	3.60
W. R. Smith	6.75
Joe Rippen	4.00
Laurence Yunker	5.00
William Price	3.60
Roy L. Clark	4.00
Chas. Baldock	3.60
Thos. Clanton	3.60
William Harris	4.00
H. R. Potrofka	5.00
C. Dixon	3.00
H. Stewart	3.60
Albert Debarr	4.80
John Wyant	4.00
August Trolic	3.60
John Davidson	3.60
William Ward	3.00
John Slow	3.60
Jas. Pryde	2.00
Oliver Slow	4.05
Rafe Perry	3.60
Robt. Lawrence	3.60
T. J. Brewer	3.60
H. N. Weiss	3.60
Edward Knapp	3.60
C. M. Watkins	3.60
William Hulley	3.60
Geo. Hinton	3.60
Fred Holmer	3.60
Emil Bork	3.60
H. Koshinski	7.60
Chas. Carson	3.60
E. Russell	3.60
E. W. Brewster	4.00
Walter Compton	4.00
Jas. Browning	4.00
Walter Grant	5.00
H. Jagoush	5.00
John Bork	4.05
Chas. Wyant	6.60
J. Kanaram	5.00
Ira Mullinax	4.50
E. Brindle	6.00
A. Bark	3.60
Don Allday	2.90
J. O. Morrow	3.20
W. Harper	4.05
Art Mathews	4.50
D. Owens	4.05
O. Snyder	0.25
Tony Fatima	7.30
Tony Desciza	4.05
Fred Grolla	4.05
Tony Maddox	4.05
Henry Liman	4.10
Richard Bosnia	4.95
Frank Mills	5.50
Ray Lewis	4.95
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Joe Blackerman	4.40
Fred Young	5.90
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John Austin	5.50
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Fay Crow	3.60
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F. E. Gidel	3.60
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W. Dillingham	3.00
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H. J. Grunendike	3.60
Lester Kitterman	3.60
Frank Stiff	3.00
Harry Holland	3.00
George Lewis	5.00
Vern Nold	6.00
Orral Mullis	5.00
Joshua Grant	3.60
George Sly	3.60
Dave Bain	1.00
W. E. Pritts	3.00
Sam Day	3.00
John Weger	3.00
M. Hiltabrand	3.60
Claude Meyer	3.60
Tom Welch	5.00
Karl Simroth	5.00
George Rolston	4.50
Hugo Knorr	6.00
P. M. Lewis	4.95
H. Herbert	7.00
Chas. Klaus	6.00
Walter Burton	4.50
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Chas. Shultz	5.40
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Edward Jones	6.00
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William Fagan	4.00
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Perry Gentry	4.00
Walter Morens	4.05
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Fred Meyer	6.00
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Lewis Shyrock	4.00
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Charles Hanson	6.30
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J. R. McCord	4.50
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Wm. Kochendorfer	4.05
John Truchtle	4.50
John Sinnot	3.80
William Johnson	5.40
Harry Mier	3.50
Dave Dryden	6.75
Frank Salloga	6.75
Guy Hudgins	6.75
Pat Ryan	6.75
M. E. Wolf	6.75
Eli Lentz	6.75
Earle Boose	6.27
Charles Merritt	4.05
W. H. Liston	4.05
Homer Rebman	5.10
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Ed Ibbotson	4.00
Carl Sheets	4.00
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C. Toms	5.00
W. Hines	5.00
M. H. Garrett	5.00
H. Graves	5.00
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C. E. Pennington	5.50
J. Stansberry	4.00
Harvey Theiss	4.50
Eldo Shark	4.00
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Fay Wheller	3.00
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Ludwig Rampits	4.50
Fred Williams	4.00
Antone Theams	4.50
Adolf Witte	4.50
Dewey French	4.00
Theo Bellenski	5.00
Ira E. Meyers	5.00
Byron May	3.40
Robert Harlin	4.40

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Bread on Endless Chain in 30 Minutes.

At the new plant of the Nafziger Baking Co., at Morgan and Sangamon Street, bread is baked on an endless chain. It is just like feeding clothes into a wringer. The dough goes in at one end of the oven, moves over the fire, steadily baking the while, and comes out at the other end a loaf of bread ready to eat. It's a very simple process, which makes one wonder why anyone should henceforth bake bread at home or in anyother way.

The new oven was first tried out Monday night. It took thirty-eight minutes to finish a loaf, but the average length of time will be thirty minutes, it is stated by Manager J. M. Allen. The oven measures forty-eight by fourteen feet in its interior. It has a capacity of 50,000 loaves of bread each twenty-four hours, or enough to provide a loaf to each person in Decatur. The oven is heated by coke, which is fed to it from a stoking compartment at the rear of the building, separate from the shipping room.

A meeting of the directors of the company will be held here Wednesday. Vice President G. H. Martens is in the city at present, together with Henry Allsman expert machinist, to look over the working of the new plant. R. L. Nafziger, president of the company, and other directors will arrive Wednesday for the session.

OTHER MEMBERS.

Other members of the board of directors of the company who will be here Wednesday are David T. Beals, Carl A. Muehlebach, Eugene A Kiger, George A. Buchanan, and Gus. H Martens, all of Kansas City; Cle H Leffler of Sedalia, Mo.; John H. Becker, of St. Louis; and P. H. Grennan, of Detroit.

All of these officers and directors are coming to inspect the new bakery here and to hold a special meeting of the board. Offices of the company are at Kansas City, and it is very unusual to hold a meeting elsewhere, as in this instance.

DEEDS RECORDED

Ira W. Cloakey to J. W. Fish, lot 22, block 5, The Elms; $1.

W. A. Fleck to E. F. Drobisch, lot 61 Elm Ridge; $1.

E. F. Drobisch to Alice M. Stephens, same property; $1.

Emma Butzein to F. M. Camp, lots 1, 4 and 5, block 17, North Decatur addition; $1.

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Liver Trouble Now a Known Cause of Premature Old Age

Medical science knows that poisonous waste in our bodies would actually cause death in a few days if not eliminated by Nature's processes. Because it destroys these deadly poisons, the liver is our most important organ—the body's wonderful purifier.

The liver prevents the formation of body poisons that cause diseases of the heart, kidneys, blood vessels and are chiefly responsible for premature old age.

When the liver becomes weak, the poisons are sucked up by the blood and health is broken down. Physicians know that the liver cannot be regulated by drugs, but a safe Nature substance has been discovered which will at once increase the vital bile supply. The discovery is purified ox gall.

Get from your druggist a package of Dioxol. Each tablet contains ten drops of purified ox gall. In 24 hours the poison toxins will be removed. Your liver will be regulated. Blood purification will begin. Sallow skin will clear. You will feel so much better you will know you have found the cause of your ill health. Dioxol tablets are harmless, tasteless and cost less than two cents each.

These genuine ox gall tablets are prepared only under the name "Dioxol." If any tablet is offered you under another name, refuse it. Accept only Dioxol in the original, genuine package.

A Stubborn Cough Loosens Right Up

This home-made remedy is a wonder for quick results. Easily and cheaply made.

Here is a home-made syrup which millions of people have found to be the most dependable means of breaking up stubborn coughs. It is cheap and simple, but very prompt in action. Under its healing, soothing influence, chest soreness goes, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling in throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, throat tickle, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. If you prefer use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you get a full pint—a family supply—of much better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for three times the money. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its prompt healing effect upon the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. -The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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Country Sausage, Ribs, Bones, & Head Meat

Milk, Niana, small can	4c	Mince Meat, None-Such, 2 18c pkgs.	27c
Prunes, Sunsweet, 2-lb. pkg.; 40c pkg.	29c	Oranges, Sweet, 252 size, dozen	29c
MARTHA WASHINGTON CANDIES—Fine as money can buy—pound box	65c		
Sliced Orange and Lemon Peel, ¼ lb.	14c	Jello, all flavors, package	10c
Great Northern Beans, 5 lbs.	40c	New Country Lard, lb.	21c
SLICED PEACHES—In heavy Syrup, No. 1 can	10c		
Apples, Fine Eating & Cooking, pk.	60c	Potatoes, Red Rivers, peck	24c

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White Clover Honey—Comb 29c
FANCY RICE 10c | FLAKE HOMINY 6c
Select Storage Eggs, Doz. 46c.
25c— EGG-NO —25c
Pkg. equals 3 dozen eggs in baking or cooking
LARGE PRUNES 19c | DRIED PEACHES 19c
Fresh Graham Flour, 5 lbs. 29c
Large Loaves MOTHERS' BREAD Each 7½c
Good Canned Tomatoes, Can 9c
Small MILK 4c | Large Milk 8c
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 5 lbs. 39c
10 lbs. SUGAR 79c
Market Day Raisins, 4 lbs. 47c
Kidney BEANS, can 10c Red BEANS, can 8c
Del Monte Spinach, 18c.
All JELLO 10c | Candied PEELS 23c
Good Four Sewed Broom 43c
Large KRAUT 12½c | Large HOMINY 10c
Five Pound Sack Flour 23c
Package MACARONI 7½c | Package SPAGHETTI 7½c
Pink or White Gelatine, 14c.
Minute TAPIOCA 12c | Black PEPPER, lb. 25c
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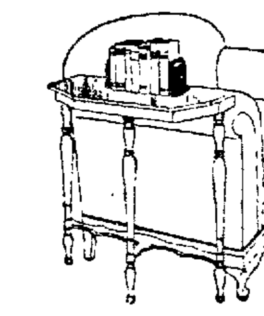

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Men are fascinated by the charms of beauty. Women gaze with envy, secretly jealous, perhaps, wondering—hoping—praying for that attractiveness which is not theirs. But why the wondering—the hoping—the praying for that craved for attractiveness—that clear skin—that beauty. A clear skin—is the barometer of one's condition. A healthy skin radiates beauty. Pure, clean blood means a clear skin.

S.S.S. is waiting to help you. It will rid your blood of its impurities and give you that clear complexion. Since 1826 S.S.S. has been ridding people of blood impurities, from pimples, from blackheads, boils, eczema and from rheumatism, too. Because S.S.S. is made from fresh herbs and barks, it may be taken with perfect safety. Try it yourself. You will not only look better, but you will feel better, too.

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Thousands who have dizzy spells, sleeplessness, nervousness, shortness of breath, pains in the head and impaired energy have been told by physicians or insurance examiners that they have high blood pressure. The serious results are well enough known to check it at once. High blood pressure caused by overtaxing the heart often brings on Bright's Disease, apoplexy and sudden death.

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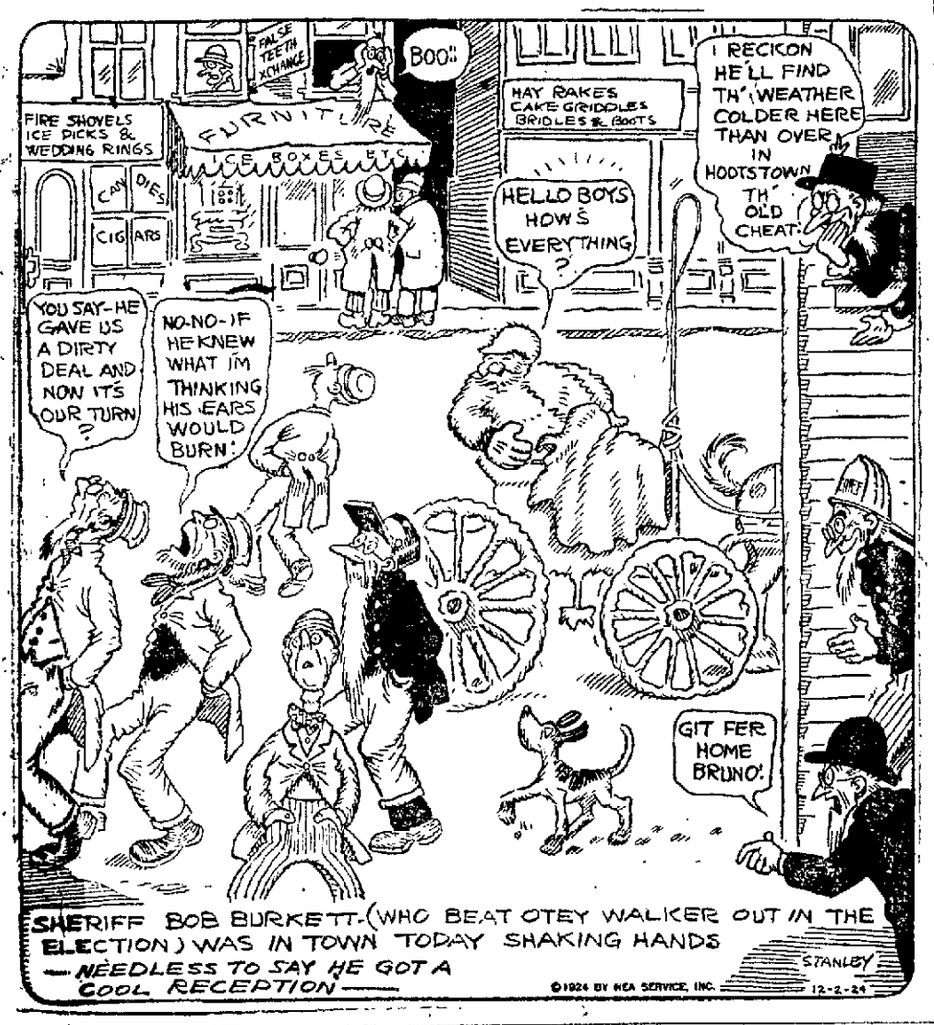

WARRENSBURG FOLK IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Warrensburg, Dec. 2.—While coming home from Decatur Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett were in an accident. An automobile ran into their horse and buggy. Mrs. Garrett suffered a broken leg and Mr. Garrett several bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schultz and daughter Adella, of Milmine, visited in Warrensburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haffey and daughter Lucile of Decatur visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kretzer.

Monsen's ambulance was called to Warrensburg Sunday afternoon to take Mrs. Martha Pendleton, who is suffering from peritonitis, to the hospital.

Mrs. Rose Montgomery and Mrs. T. Lisk and families of Lincoln visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kretzer.

Harry Wharton and Claude Hard who visited here with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wharton, returned Sunday to Chicago.

Several hunters from Decatur came out Sunday morning and joined the hunters out here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. William Harmon of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Waller.

Mrs. William Faith went Tuesday to Mt. Vernon to spend the week.

Frank Gollings, Art Chenoweth, Gene Abrams and John Maloney, all of Decatur spent Sunday with Charles Hall.

The W. C. H. S. basketball team will play the Latham High school team here Tuesday evening, Dec. 2. There will be a double header. The first game starts at 7:30, with the Latham second team playing the Warrensburg second team. At 8:15 will be the big game.

MRS PENDLETON DIES.

Word was received here Monday afternoon of the death of Mrs. Martha Pendleton, an old resident of Warrensburg, who was taken Sunday to the hospital.

Mary Wagoner is absent from school with mumps.

MORRISONVILLE

Miss Mattie Sigley arrived Wednesday from Springfield for a few days visit with Mrs. Ella Camp.

Mrs. Martha Shull and daughter Miss Nell, Mrs. Dr. A. T. Gibson and Mrs. Louise Johnson and children spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dethridge in Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wahl are here from Chicago visiting relatives.

Miss Daley Kinney left Thursday for Decatur where she will visit for a few days with Mrs. Mary Doran and family.

Mrs. Noel Payne is spending the week in Patoka with her sister Mrs. Walter Sharp.

The women of the Methodist church cleared $383.30 with their Thanksgiving dinner and bazaar.

Miss Sadie Clickener is home from Decatur for a visit with her mother Mrs. Isaac Clickener.

Mrs. Dr. A. D. Baisley entertained the Past Matrons club Friday afternoon at her home.

Miss Ferne Estabrook returned to Decatur Friday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Estabrook.

Miss Sophia Carroll of Springfield is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Todt.

CASHEN-MUNDHENKE.

Miss Theresa Cashen and August Mundhenke were married in Pana Saturday morning, Nov. 29, at 8 o'clock by Rev. Fr. J. P. Moroney pastor of the St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church. The bride is the daughter of Peter Cashen, a prominent resident of Morrisonville and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mundehenke, is well known and a popular farmer. They were attended by relatives motoring to Pana early Saturday for the happy event.

Melvin Brown accompanied by his sister, Miss Velma returned to their home in Litchfield Saturday after a visit here with their sister, Mrs Bryan Shake.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swinger came over from Alexander Saturday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs J. G. Swinger.

Miss Mary Manning is home from Champaign for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Manning.

Misses Bertha and Zelma Klinger who are students at the Illinois Wesleyan university at Bloomington are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klinger.

Mrs. John Becker assisted by Mrs. A. L. Stocks entertained the women of the Bridge club Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. John Wahl of Chicago.

Miss Dena Wucherpfening returned home Saturday from Jerseyville where she has been for the last two weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Loretta Conway came home from Decatur Saturday to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Conway.

Miss Gladys Plopper spent Sunday in St. Louis with friends.

Miss Hilda Kent returned to Bloomington Monday after a few days visit with her father, K. C. Kent.

Mrs. Ollie Bremer spent Sunday in Rochester with relatives.

Robert Pence arrived Monday from Decatur for a visit with his father, James Pence

P. T. A. ASSOCIATION MEETS AT MACON

Macon, Dec. 2—The Parent-teachers association meeting will be held Tuesday night, Dec. 2, at the school building. The program follows:

Opening song—Association.

Discussion—"Why We Should Pay Special Attention to the Social Affairs of Our Young People"—Mrs Rita Russell, Mrs. James Vollmer.

Piano solo—Evelyn Tuttle.

Vocal solo—Lois Newsham.

Current Events—Mrs. Ed Welch Mrs William Urbane, Richard Ferris Paul Fromknecht.

Closing song.

A bazaar and cafeteria supper will be held at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, Dec. 3. The public is invited to attend.

Mr and Mrs. Will Lewis and family, J. Lewis and daughter, Miss Mary, returned Sunday from a motor trip in Missouri where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Ralph Kinnison and family moved to Pawnee, Ill., Monday. Mr. Kinnison has a position as station agent in that city.

Mrs. W. H. Hull returned home Saturday from Indiana where she has been visiting relatives.

Perry Nuters left Sunday for several days' visit in Tennessee.

Mrs. Delphia Vanters and daughter Charleen and Miss Leeda Rubin spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Warnick in Decatur, Ill.

Wayne, son of Mr and Mrs Edward Wyant who has been ill, is now improved.

BARTLETT FUNERAL HELD AT FORSYTH

Forsyth, Dec. 2—The funeral of Allen Bartlett was held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. F. Powell of Decatur was in charge of the services, assisted by Rev. H. P. Montgomery, the local minister. The singers were Mrs. Carl Merriman, Mrs. Michael Green, C. K. Cooper and Clifford McCoy with Miss Maud Benton at the piano. The casket bearers were C. A. Thrift, Elwood McKinley, Carl Butler, L. H. Cassity, G. C. Hudelson and Thomas McIntosh. Burial was in Fairlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Emma Butler and Mrs. Mabel Thrift are quite sick.

Lawrence Harmon of Chicago spent Thanksgiving with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Adams spent several days with their daughter at Heyworth.

MUSSOLINI SAYS REFORM NECESSARY

Rome, Dec. 2—Premier Mussolini, in a circular to local Fascist executives of the various Italian towns, states that a revision of the party's moral, mental and political position is necessary.

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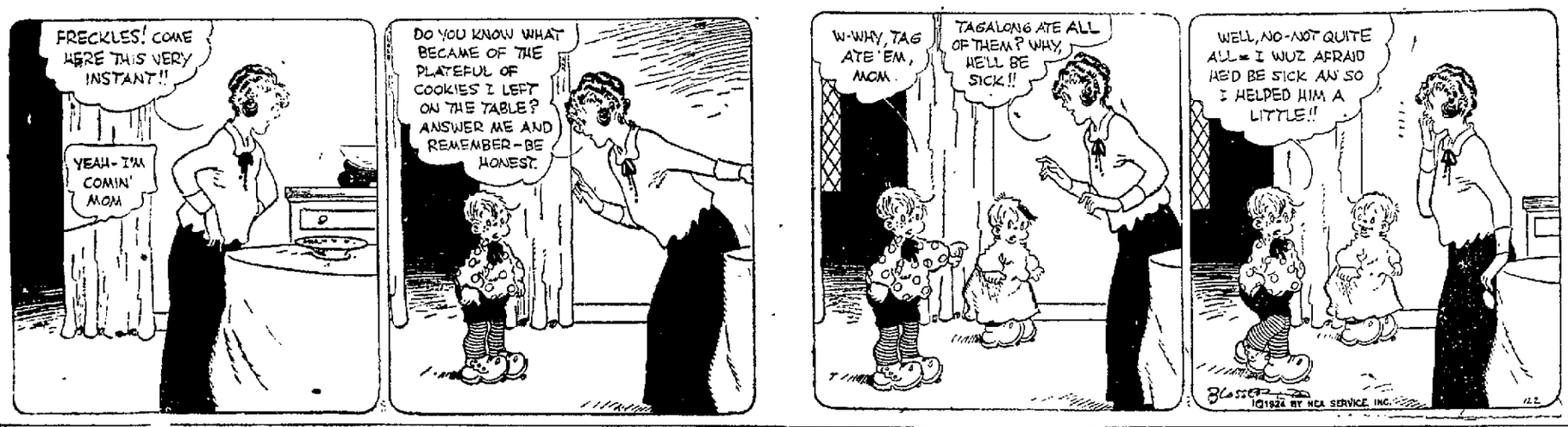

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SAM THE PAUPER. *By Swan*

Adventures of the Twins

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A Wandering Riddle

"By water-mill and lily pond,
Ponders this old vagabond."

"By water-mill and lily pond,
Meanders this old vagabond,
Wandering from hill to hill,
Past farmhouse gate and clattering mill.

"He keeps right on, and never stops,
Not even on craggy mountain tops.
He struggles up and bravely over
He's courage, has this wand'ring lover.

"He has no roof, he knows no home,
He lingers not—he loves to roam.
He does not move and yet he runs,
Neath winter snows and summer suns.

"He runs right on through town and city,
And never stops to look—a pity!
He hurrys by the castle wall
And never stops to gaze at all!

"He'll guide you any place you're going,
He'll take you there without you knowing,
He wants no thanks, he asks no pay,
For showing you the nearest way.

"He is posted for your guiding,
If you're walking—if you're riding,
The prince's coach—the farmer's load,
He helps each one, this kindly—."

"Well, I should hope that I know what that is," said the Crooked Man. "Anybody who ran a crooked mile as often as I have should know it."

"Alack!" cried the Old Lady Banberry, "When I rode my white horse to Banberry Cross, how could I have gotten there unless there had been a good —"

"Tut! Tut!" said the Man-Who-Owned-the-Gray-Pony. "I hope to tell you that I know what the answer is. I loaned my pony to a lady and she rode him through the mire because there was no such thing as a —."

"Wait, wait," cried Mrs. John. "Mrs. Riddle Lady, what are we going to do about it? Everybody has guessed it."

"Yes, what are we going to do about it?" said Doctor Foster, "I know the answer perfectly. Why shouldn't I, when I was going to Gloster and stepped in the puddle and ruined all my clothes. When you said winter snows and summer suns, you didn't say half. Mrs. Riddle Lady, I'll beg to remind you of April showers which are the undoing of all dirt roads."

"Oh, oh, oh! Doctor Foster said it!" cried all the Mother Goose people. "Doctor Foster guessed the last riddle! It's a road!"

"He didn't at all," said the Banberry Lady excitedly, "I know it all the time."

"So did I," said the Crooked Man, "only I was too modest to say so."

"So did I!" declared the Man-Who-Owned-the-Gray-Pony. "I have no use for pushing people."

"It was a slip of the tongue, I assure you," said Doctor Foster with a bow. "I am willing to do without a prize just to show how much I mean it."

"We were only fooling," said the Crooked Man and the Old Banberry Lady and the Pony Man.

And really, my dears, I don't know yet how they settled it.

(To Be Continued.)

SIXTEEN FUNDS ARE READY FOR STUDENTS

Urbana, Dec. 2.—Sixteen loan funds, varying from $100 to $600, are available to students at the University of Illinois who need financial aid in going through college, it is announced. Liberal requirements are made of students who wish to borrow money of these funds, six of which are available for freshmen, while the others require certain advanced standing.

The Gregory scholarship of $100 is restricted to students who do not use intoxication liquor nor tobacco. The Overseas fund is open to descendants of veterans of the Civil war, veterans of the Spanish American war and to soldiers and sailors who served overseas in the American army during the World War. The Woman's League loan is restricted to women, preferably freshmen, and the Temple fund is open only to students in architecture. Various restrictions are made on other funds.

ALTON MINISTER GOES TO ST. PAUL

Alton, Dec. 2.—The Rev. Frederick D. Butler, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church here for the past seven years, has accepted a call to the church of St. John the Evangelist at St. Paul, Minn. effective the first of the year. The St. Paul parish is said to be the second largest in Minnesota.

BANDIT STEALS HIS JEWELRY AND AUTO

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 2—The theft of diamonds and jewelry valued at between $25,000 and $35,000 and his automobile, was reported to Dallas police Monday, by J. Robert Gorman, jewelry salesman. Gorman declared a man stepped upon the running board of his car, pressed a pistol to his side and forced him to drive to the country, where he was bound and gagged.

POINTS TO CAUSES OF DELINQUENCY

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Part-time parents and family disintegrations were described as "potent factors in delinquency," in an address by Dr. Herbert D. Williams of Toledo, psychologist and boy worker, delivered here tonight before an International Boys Work Conference. Investigations have disclosed a "preponderance of broken homes among the delinquents as compared with normal boys and girls," he said.

"Psychologists have long known that a child needs both parents to bring about his complete development," Dr. Williams asserted, "The absence of one of the parents tremendously handicaps the boy or girl, not only in a negative way through failing to provide all the influences needed, but also by developing a spirit of resentment because of his or her inferiority in this respect over more fortunate individuals who have both parents."

SAYS WORLD IS BIG WORD PUZZLE

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 2—The world comes in the form of a cross word puzzle and it is up to us to find where two lines of endeavor intersect, said Edwin E. Slosson, editor of Science Service, Washington, D. C., speaking on the "Development of the scientific mind" before a University of Illinois group here.

"Every fact fills in a square and all is interwoven," he asserted. "No idea belongs to one science. An analytic rather than a synthetic point of view is needed in science. The boy needs to learn to put the clock back together after he has taken it apart."

Going To Market.

The business women of Decatur will hear of "Going to Market," Wednesday evening when the Business Women's club meets for supper in the Y. W. C. A. The talk which is to be given by Miss Anna Schwartz, head of the dress trimming department of Linn and Scruggs, will be given following the supper.

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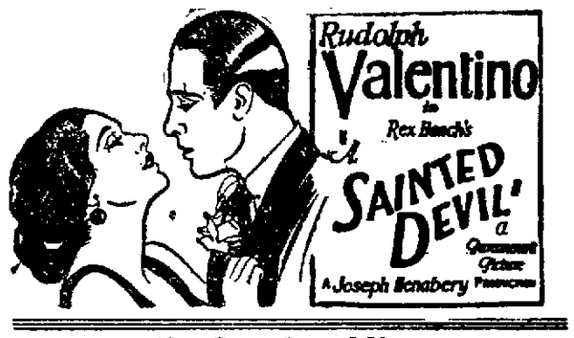

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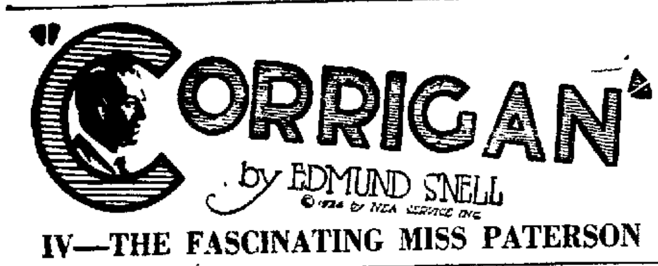

IV—THE FASCINATING MISS PATERSON

BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Corrigan is proprietor of the Orang-Putch estate in Borneo. A young man by the name of [illegible] comes to the plantation to temporarily replace Donald White, one of Corrigan's overseers. Paterson brings with him a sister, who immediately captivates the attention of Fellowes, Corrigan's first assistant.

"I've heard quite a lot about you in Singapore," Miss Paterson tells Corrigan. "My friends the Davises knew you in Perth." Fellowes gives over his bungalow to Paterson and his sister. Miss Paterson arouses Corrigan's suspicion because he "never knew the pretty woman who could completely master the Malay language in two months" and he notes that she never mentions visiting the Davises. Now ten days have elapsed since the arrival of Paterson and his sister. It is evening. Paterson is away. Miss Paterson is sleeping. Fellowes and Corrigan are on the veranda.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

Darkness followed quickly on the heels of a brief twilight and still Fellowes remained glued to the veranda floor, his feet on the topmost step of the narrow ladder. It was an unmistakable fact that the arrival of the whisky had not succeeded in rousing him from his lethargy.

The first assistant believed he knew his own mind, but wished he could get to the bottom of Corrigan's veiled antipathy to the girl whose violet eyes were troubling his mind. He had never known Corrigan to make a mistake, and that was precisely what was worrying him at that moment. Corrigan's assistants looked upon their lord and master [illegible] and yet he felt so sure about Enid. In an affair of heart, ten days is in normal circumstances an unreasonably short period on which to base the extent of one's affections, but on board ship and in lonely portions of the earth's surface [illegible] are admittedly abnormal.

The arrival of the object of his [thoughts] attired in a wonderfully embroidered kimono put an abrupt conclusion to his reverie.

"Please don't get up," she protested. "You look so delightfully comfortable. Why, you must be ill! You haven't had your evening drink!"

She uncorked the bottle and poured out an over-generous helping of spirit.

Before he could gather his wits together, she had thrust the glass into his hand and had snuggled down on the floor beside him.

"It's really too good of you," he murmured, watching the bubbles rising. "Ted's rather late tonight. Wonder what on earth he can have found to occupy him?"

Enid's eyes opened wide.

"Hasn't he gone home yet? Isn't it disgraceful? I've been asleep for ages."

The space between the two door posts was absurdly small. They were so tightly wedged in that he began to wonder how on earth they were going to get out! Her proximity was positively embarrassing. Stray strands of her black hair kept touching his neck. He rather liked the scent she used. It was strangely intoxicating.

"I hope you're comfortable, Miss Paterson," he asked, after a pause. "There's not much room to spare, is there?"

"Don't you like me being here?" she murmured. She spoke softly, but Fellowes thought he could detect a slight suspicion of pain.

"Of course I do," he blurted out hastily. "I was feeling pretty down-in-the-mouth until you came out. It's perfectly splendid of you to stay. Are you sure that post isn't hurting you?"

He took a deep draught and put the glass down on the floor behind him. "I think your hand must have slipped with that whisky," he added with a grin.

"Wasn't it strong enough?" she inquired innocently.

Fellowes laughed aloud.

"Only about twice the strength I usually take it!"

The girl laughed, too, a sweet, rippling laugh that thrilled her companion.

"You certainly looked as if you wanted a pick-me-up," she declared.

The feeling of awkwardness was wearing off. He felt tempted to play with one of those truant strands that kept tickling him.

They sat there, looking out into the darkness, the breeze rustling the sago thatch above them. The climax came with surprising suddenness. A fat spider, its body the size of a pigeon's egg, dropped into Enid Paterson's lap. The girl uttered a scream and flung both arms round Fellowes' neck. He knocked the thing off with the back of his hand, but still the girl clung to him desperately.

He was never quite clear how it happened. Something seemed to snap in his brain and he woke to find himself kissing the unresisting lips of a woman who sobbed hysterically in his arms.

A tall, thin figure swayed suddenly up the path, the lamp light falling on a face that was white as death, on the blue lips of a man who staggered toward them, a native opium pipe in one hand. Enid struggled to her feet with a little scream— and Fellowes went slowly down the steps to meet Paterson.

He caught him by the shoulder and shook him violently. Once more he was the first assistant with the interests of the estate at heart. Oblivious of everything except the only too palpable condition of the doped creature, he shouted at him savagely.

"Where have you been? What have you been up to? Where did you get that pipe?"

Paterson blinked up at him with unseeing eyes.

"Chandu, old bean!" he murmured ecstatically. "Good old chandu!" He collapsed suddenly on Fellowes' shoulder. The first assistant picked him up like a sack and carried him past a woman whose face was buried in her hands, into his room. He slung him unceremoniously on to the bed, lit the lamp and emptied the contents of a water jug over his head. His hands on his hips, he regarded the inert Paterson with a look full of the deepest loathing. Presently, he threw open the window to its farthest extent and went out at the door, locking it after him and slipping the key into his pocket.

The meal passed in silence. Fellowes tried not to see the red eyes of the girl who sat opposite him. A queer, hard feeling had suddenly come over him. The seriousness of Paterson's lapse hung like an ugly cloud. Whatever might be the case elsewhere, Corrigan's assistants were regarded by their men as little gods. This drug fiend whose sister Fellowes had kissed— had possibly shattered the wall of solid respect years of patient toil had built up. For Enid's sake he had refrained from telling Corrigan of the countless mistakes Paterson had made in his daily work, mistakes that he himself had invariably cleared up.

SHE POURED OUT AN OVER-GENEROUS HELPING.

At the conclusion of the dismal course, the girl rose slowly to her feet dabbing her cheeks with her handkerchief.

"May I see him, please?" she asked in a low voice.

Fellowes handed her the key without a word. He sat down again and began dissecting a green orange. He heard her close the door after her, caught the tapping of her slippers down the passage, the sound of the key in the lock of the bedroom door.

A sudden revulsion of feeling urged him to follow her. He remembered that she was a newcomer to the East, that perhaps she had no knowledge of her brother's failings. He felt that it was up to him to comfort her. His heelless shoes made no noise on the boarded floor as he hurried after her.

The sound of voices coming from the room where Paterson lay brought him suddenly erect in the passage. He had no intention of listening, but the words the girl spoke in a strange, hissing voice that he scarcely knew, held him rooted to the spot, struck motionless with amazement.

"You fool! Why couldn't you have kept away from it for another week? I'd done my part. I had that poor idiot between my finger and thumb. Oh, you fool!"

The weak mumbling tones of Paterson followed.

"Why can't you leave me alone? I couldn't keep off it— and that's all there is to it. I had to have something, hadn't I?"

Fellowes crept back to the living room, his brain reeling. He tried to force himself to think coherently. He clenched his fists. So he was the poor idiot? God! What blind fool he'd been! And still he couldn't see clearly. Was it possible that Enid, knowing full well her brother's failings, had come with him, desperately resolved to keep him straight? The agents had said he was a good man, at any rate. But 'that poor idiot' rankled! And why should he keep straight only for another week?

The atmosphere of the house stifled him. He felt he must have air, buckets of it! He grabbed a Terai hat from a nail which served as a hook, and plunged for the veranda. He reeled back in utter astonishment, hardly believing his eyes.

Corrigan, cool and collected, sat calmly in a chair by the bambo table. His topee was on the floor by his side and a half-empty glass stood at his elbow. He was grinning from ear to ear.

"Slippers, pyjamas and felt hat complete!" he murmured as if to himself. "Ye Gods; it's wonderful what a clever woman can do to a man!"

Fellowes gaped.

"Weren't going out like that, by any chance?" pursued his employer relentlessly.

The first assistant collapsed on to a seat by Corrigan's side.

"How much do you know, Corrigan?" he inquired lamely.

"I know that you want a good stiff tot, old son!"

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$1.50 to $2 Gowns, $1
Women's extra heavy, high-grade outing flannel Night Gowns; made of best grade, fancy, pink and blue striped outing; neatly trimmed with silk braid and silk cord; regular $1.75 to $2 values; all sizes; sale price $1

$1.50 Bloomers, $1
Women's and misses' Bloomers; made of genuine satin striped and plain satines; full cut; all sizes; all colors; regular price, $1.50; Wednesday sale price $1

$2 Corsets, $1
Odd lot of Warner, and American Lady Corsets, in front lace and back lace models. Wednesday $1

Extra Special — 450 Silk and Cloth Dresses—A Real Sale
All our women's and misses' silk and cloth dresses, regular $8 and $10 values sale price .. $3.95
All our women's silk and cloth dresses, formerly priced $15 to $18, all sizes—sale price..... $9.95
All our women's and misses' silk and cloth dresses, formerly priced $25.00 to $30.00—sale price $12.95

$1.25 Panty Dresses
A large selection of children's panty dresses; made of gingham, cheviot and satine. $1.00

$1.50 Blouses
Women's blouses made of white dimity and colored voile; a big bargain at $1

$1.98 DRESSES
Children's new long sleeve Dresses; made of plain and fancy ginghams; regular $1.50 to $1.98 values; all sizes, 6 to 14 years, sale price, each $1.00

$1.50 Women's Silk Hose.. $1
Upwards of 100 dozen women's and misses' silk hose, come in black and all the shades for Fall in plain and sport styles, regular $1.50 values, Wednesday, a pair ....

$1.25 Women's Silk and Wool Hose, a pair $1.00
69c Women's Silk Lisle Hose, Two Pairs for $1.00
39c Women's Lisle Hose, Three Pairs for $1.00
39c Children's Ribbed Hose, Three Pairs for $1.00
35c Men's Lisle Hose, Four Pairs for $1.00

$1.50 Union Suits $1
Women's fine Union Suits, the renowned Carter underwear, in all styles, for Fall and Winter wear; regular $1.50 values; all sizes; Wednesday sale price $1

$1.39 Union Suits, $1
Children's union suits, long taped union suits, long sleeves and ankle lengths regular $1.39 values, Wednesday $1

$1.69 Men's Suits 1.25
Men's fine ribbed union suits, made of finest combed yarn, all sizes, long sleeves and ankle lengths $1.69 values, sale price $1.25

Children's Union Suits 2 for $1
Upwards of 20 dozen children's fine ribbed, silky fleeced Union Suits—all sizes, 2 to 12 years; Wednesday, instead of 75c each, sale price, TWO FOR $1

Men's $1.39 Union Suits Go For $1
Men's fine ribbed, soft, silky fleeced Union Suits; the right weight for early winter wear; all sizes; regular price, $1.39; Wednesday sale price. A SUIT $1

Domestic Bargains
20c full bleached yard wide Hope Muslin, 8 yds. ...$1
$1.50 Blankets, Plaids, grays and tans, each $1
$1.69 81x90 Bleached Seamless Sheets $1
15c unbleached yard wide Muslin, 10 yards $1
9-4 full bleached sheeting, all you want, 2½ yds. $1
20c yd. wide unbleached muslin, 7 yds. $1
75c Fancy baby robe blankets, blue and pink, 2 for $1
45c pillow tubing in all widths, 3 yds. $1
25c heavy unbleached crash toweling, 5 yds. $1
35c turkish towels, double strength, 4 for $1
69c extra large plain or fancy bath towels, 2 for ...$1
69c mercerized table damask, 2 yds. $1
$1.25 round or square table cloths $1
$1.39 blue and white Japanese lunch cloth, 60x60...$1
25c yard wide percales, fast colors, 7 yards $1
25c new Fall dress ginghams, 6 yards $1
25c best quality cheviot shirting, 5 yards $1
22c apron ginghams, fast colors, 7 yards $1
25c yard wide cretonne or comfort challies, 5 yards .$1
65c genuine White Rose quilt bats, 2 for $1
18c plain white outing flannel, 7 yards $1
$1.50 Quilted Comfort Bats, 72x90 each $1
35c white or fancy yard wide outing 4 yards $1

BIG BARGAINS! GOOD SHOES!

Pretty Satin Strap Slippers, with suede trim, all style heels, very special at $2.95 A Pair
This style as pictured in patent leather at $3.95

EXTRA SPECIAL!
Women's $2.00 Felt Juliets have hand turned soles and rubber heels, and fur trimmed $1.49

Oxfords $1.95 A Pair
Soft Black Kid, military rubber heel.

Opera Pumps $4.95
Tan Calf Patent leather or velvet.
This style as pictured in satin or patent leather at $5.95 a pair.

Children's Footwear
Children's Patent Button shoes, with grey, field mouse, or dull tops, sizes 4 to 8, special at, a pair $1.89
Misses and Children's Brown stitchdowns, all sizes 6 to 2, while they last, a pair $1.49
Misses' and Children's, Brown or Patent Leather or black kid stitchdowns, our regular $3.50 and $4.00 sellers, for Wednesday special at, a pair $2.95
Misses' and Children's Patent Leather Lace Shoes, with grey Kid Top, and rubber heels, all sizes 8½ to 2, Wednesday special, at, a pair $2.95
Shoe Dept., Main Floor, Rear.

$1.50 to $2 Heavy Gauge Aluminumware for... $1

$2.50, 6-QT. TEA KETTLES ....
$2.00, 12-QT. DISH PANS ....
$1.69, 7-QT. STEW KETTLES ....
$2.00, 8-QT. PRESERVING KETTLES.
$2.50, OBLONG ROASTERS ....
$1.79, RICE BOILERS ....
$2.00, 12-QT. WATER PAILS ....
$1.50, WATER PITCHERS ....
Sale Price $1

$2.50 Broadcloth Shirts

Men's genuine $2.50 English Broadcloth shirts in blue, tan & white, all sizes, band or attached collars. Sale price $1.69

Work Shirts
Men's good blue chambray work shirts, worth 89c, all sizes, Wednesday, at Stewarts — sale price . 2 for $1

Sweaters
Wonderful bargains in men's and boys' sweaters, coat styles and slipover styles, wonderful values, — $2.98, $1.98 and $1

Soap Specials
Wednesday we will sell and deliver with other purchases of $1 or more:
15 bars P. and G. Laundry Soap ....
5 bars Maple City Laundry Soap .....
1 box Washing Powder ....
1 bar Ivory Soap ...
1 10-quart galvanized bucket ....
$1

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"Little Ten" May Be New State Conference

Prospects Bright to Put Over Workable Group Among Minor Colleges.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD.

Do not be surprised if the "Little Ten" does not spring into existence out of the present I. I. A. C. group of colleges that at the present time numbers 24 institutions of this state.

For some time there has been a feeling that the present group is too large and that much better results would be obtained with a conference made up of ten schools. However, in the past the movement has been fostered by Knox college officials who tacked on the freshman rule and there was little chance to put it over.

This year Knox is going to assume the role of spectator at the annual meeting and while very friendly to a smaller conference will not take the lead according to a published statement in the Galesburg Evening Mail.

IS NOT ALONE

Knox is not alone in its move for a more limited number of members in the I. I. A. C. for Monmouth supporters are asking for it and there isn't much doubt but that Millikin, Bradley and Illinois Wesleyan would swing into line.

Without naming the schools to make up the more distinct group it is very evident that 12 or 14 of the present schools could be dropped without hitting any of them very hard. Some of the schools in the southern part of the state never enter into competition with those in the central or northern part owing to the great distance between schools.

ONLY DRAWBACK

At the present time the one big drawback to forming such a state conference would be the freshmen rule. If Knox and Monmouth, members of the Midwest would come into a new body and forget about the freshmen rule a "Little Ten" would be possible without a doubt.

It is assured that Knox will desire to maintain its Midwest standing and from a geographical and financial matter it would be the only wise thing for the "Old Siwash" school.

Knox demonstrated this year not that the freshmen rule was good for the other I. I. A. C. schools but that Knox could maintain a strong team and not play freshmen.

Knox and Monmouth could maintain their Mid West standing and bar freshmen from all their games but also maintain a membership in the I. I. A. C. playing the "Little Ten" teams that do not bar freshmen.

CHANCE TO COVER.

Interest in the I. I. A. C. is on the decline at least from a football standpoint and something must be done to build up the attendance at the state conference games. With the possible exception of Knox there wasn't a school in Central Illinois that drew the crowds in 1924 as they did in 1923. Of course in several instances the difference between a winner and a loser played a big part.

The interest taken in the games played by the Illinois team in the new stadium was another great factor. The fans were wild to see Red Grange and the Illini and many forsook their own team to travel to Urbana.

This is a condition that has to be met even if the minor college have to play their games in the middle of the week. The Stadium is going to be right where it is, Illini will continue to have good teams and the fans will continue to make the journey to the contests. Even more so in the future when the system of hard roads is completed.

FANS LIKE CHANGE.

Bradley is a good example of how the Peoria fans view the situation. They want something new and the largest crowd of the season was out for the Bradley-Franklin college game. Franklin by virtue of its great basketball fives has been on the sport pages of the country for the last few years. The fans knew of Franklin and wanted to see the football team in action.

To the writers' notion the biggest football attraction that could be secured for either Peoria or Galesburg would be a Knox-Bradley game. There has been so much said about Knox and Bradley the last few years that the fans would go mad over a contest. While the publicity hasn't been the kind one likes to see connected with college athletics at the same time it makes the fans.

MANSFIELD OPENING GAME FOR MAHOMET

Mahomet, Dec. 2—With three regulars over from last season and the team starting practice, following a long football season, Mahomet high will open basketball season with Mansfield as opponents here Friday night.

Captain Buckles, Mansel and Campbell, the veterans back this year. R. Hinton will also be ready to start Friday against Mansfield. Several boys have been drilling during the football season and in good shape. There will be plenty competition for positions.

THE SCHEDULE.

Dec. 5—Mansfield here.
Dec. 12—Clinton here.
Dec. 19—Urbana there.
Dec. 26—St. Joseph Academy here.
Jan. 2—Allerton there.
Jan. 9—Sidell here.
Jan. 10—Clinton there.
Jan. 16—Open.
Jan. 23—Monticello there.
Jan. 27—Farmer City here.
Jan. 30—Allerton here.
Feb. 6—DeLand here.
Feb. 13—Urbana here.
Feb. 17—Bellflower there.
Feb. 20 and 21—County Tourney To ...
Feb. 24—Bellflower here.
Feb. 27—DeLand there.

HIRAM JONES AND MISS SPAVIN WED

Nokomis, Dec. 2—Miss Katie Spavin a well known young lady of Nokomis was united in marriage here last Saturday to Hiram Jones of this city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Spavin favorable known residents of this place where they have resided for the past fifteen years. The groom is well known here, and has many friends. After a short honeymoon trip the couple will begin housekeeping here at once.

SIXTY-FIVE OUT FOR D. H. S. SQUAD

Six Letter Men Report to Coach Crooks.

Headed by six letter men a squad of 65 tossers reported to Coach Charles Crooks of the Decatur High school Monday afternoon for the first official drill of the season.

Familiar faces who won the "D" last year were Mitchell, Harrold, Trisch, Sattley, Robbins and Jones. Jones is still "bothered" with the "Charley Horse" received in the middle of the football season.

A count of the noses revealed that Frank Lanum, Offenstein, Logan and Hasty were missing, those four athletes having finished their prep school competition last year.

In addition to the letter men named above Coach Crooks will have Pat Thompson, Ralph Coffin and Kenneth Lowery to depend on as reserves from the 1924 squad.

HAVE TWO GROUPS.

Coach Crooks will work with two groups and at the present time has 25 on the first squad that practices from 3:30 to 7:30. The second squad is on the floor from 4:30 to 5:30, and when one of the athletes on the second group shows enough class he is moved to the first squad. Crooks expects to have 100 men out by the last of the week.

The contest with Lovington is to be played Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 10 and will be only in the nature of a practice scrimmage the Lovington boys driving up for the workout. The first game of the season is Dec. 12 with U. High.

CHAMPAIGN TOSSERS START CAGE DRILLS

Coach Moyer's Team Will Play Decatur Two Games.

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 2—Basketball drill under Coach Moyer started Monday evening at the high school, with several members of the football team reporting for practice. A bunch of the boys have been working under Bob McKay two or three nights a week for several weeks and are in fair shape.

Captain Bud Hyland, Ray Fisher, Don Gamble and Frank McCallister of last year's team are back this season. Verne Carson, Teke Wiley, Harry Richman, and Bud Souder of the football squad are also going to try out.

Some of the boys who have been going good in drills are Don Potter, Russel Burke, Derment, Sansone and a few others. This bunch will be pitted against the newcomers in some early drills.

THE SCHEDULE.

Villa Grove—Here.
Dec. 19—Villa Grove, here.
Jan. 3—Decatur, there.
Jan. 9—Kankakee, here.
Jan. 16—Urbana, here.
Jan. 17—Bloomington, there.
Jan. 23—Paxton, there.
Jan. 24—Kankakee, there.
Jan. 30—Centralia, here.
Feb. 6—Urbana, there.
Feb. 7—Tuscola, there.
Feb. 13—Danville, there.
Feb. 14—Decatur, here.
Feb. 20—Arcola, here.
Feb. 21—Clinton, there.
Feb. 27—Garfield high at Terre Haute, Ind.

Given Highest Award

DAZZY VANCE

To Play Notre Dame.

Beloit, Wis., Dec. 2—Coach "Tommy" Mills of Beloit College announced Monday morning that Beloit College would play Notre Dame at South Bend on October 10, 1925. Mills has received official sanction of the date from the Catholic school. The game probably will be the third for the Beloit eleven and the second for Coach Rockne's team. The remainder of Beloit's schedule will not be completed until the last of this week.

16 TAKEN IN MATTOON RAID

Mattoon, Dec. 2—As a result of Sheriff McNutt's raids Saturday, fourteen people face trial on warrants issued charging violation of the liquor laws. Sixteen were arrested, one being subsequently discharged, and one pleading guilty. Hearings will be Dec. 5 and 6.

NEWS OF THE DAY AT MONTICELLO

Monticello, Dec. 2—Miss Mae Blackburn, who has been employed in the cafeteria room in the Syrup Pepsin building, has resigned and accepted a position in the Outlook sanatorium in Urbana, beginning her duties Monday, Dec. 1.

Mrs. Melissa Turk of Chicago returned to her home Monday after several days' visit with her mother Mrs. Jane Anderson, in the home of Russell Magill.

C. E. Mansfield, who has been here on business for the last few days, has returned to his home in Springfield.

Miss Helen Wright attended the week-end house party of Miss Helen Hockaday in Decatur.

Zackie Moore and His Noisy Seven orchestra from Decatur will play for a dance here at Kratz hall Tuesday night, Dec. 2.

Miss Pauline Verner of Decatur has returned home after a short visit with Monticello friends.

Chester Haines who is attending a school of pharmacy in St. Louis has returned there after a short visit with his parents.

Mrs. William Dighton is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Miss Harriett Conard, assistant supervisor of elementary grades in the Decatur public schools, and who formerly lived in Monticello, is reported to be recovering from an operation which she underwent at the Mayo Brothers hospital in Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Mayme Bradley is ill in the home of A. B. Moberly in Decatur.

Mrs. W. E. Thompson was called to St. Louis Friday by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Altha Dunham who underwent an operation recently. The mother, Mrs. Rodgers, of Argenta, accompanied her.

L. C. Parkhurst of Peoria, T. L. Hamann of Peoria, David Ranch, Peoria; Bunch Foster, Mazon, Ill., W. C. Clouser, Mansfield, Orville Reney, Danville, and W. J. Watherly of Chicago, were business callers in Monticello Monday.

The Tuscola basket ball team has canceled its game with the Syrup Pepsin team which was to be played in Tuscola Tuesday evening, because of not having a convenient place to play.

Ross Wright and family from East Chicago, Ind., returned to their home after a brief visit with Monticello friends. Mr. Wright was formerly a Monticello citizen.

BILL JACKSON HAS AN OFFER

Would Lease Peoria Club for Five Years.

BY PAT HAND.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 2—Another party of importance has been heard from in the Peoria baseball tangle. It is none other than William R. Jackson, who The Star today is willing to admit is probably the leading candidate for the Peoria 1925 managerial post if Peoria boasts of a ball team next summer.

Jackson intimated this morning that he knew of individuals who would take over the Peoria franchise if the price was not quite so high.

"In view of the losses that have been sustained of late by the Fans' association the price of $7,500 is prohibitive," said Jackson, "and it does not represent the true indebtedness of the association. The club has several players on its list and when these have been disposed of and all notes called the worth of the local franchise is reduced to about $2,500, the real indebtedness of the club.

WILLING TO LEASE CLUB.

"I would be willing to take over the club for five years, that is, lease the holdings for five years and agree to take over this $2,500 indebtedness," continued Jackson.

Bill talked authoritatively enough. Either he was speaking for himself or for a group of local men. The writer has known for some time that Jackson had the support of a number of fairly well-to-do fans about town who are behind him and willing to support him with cash if he could get hold of the local franchise.

Should this proposition go through Jackson, it is understood, would manage the club. Jackson is one individual who has always had faith in the Peoria baseball public. He believes that in the present ball park, the proper sort of a ball club would more than pay for itself.

Jackson did not go to the Hartford baseball meeting. He gave as his reason for not going the fact that he was waiting developments in the local situation. Like many others the former Peoria and Bloomington pilot does not think for a minute that Peoria will be without baseball next season. He feels that it is merely a case of straightening out the financial tangles.

PRESENT PLAN TO DIRECTORS.

The suggestion that he lease the club for five years will probably be presented to the next meeting of the resigned local directors on December the 15th. If in the meantime President Ryan is successful in disposing of some of the players, and thus reduces the assumed indebtedness of the club, the chances of Jackson's project going through are not at all unlikely.

Bill Jackson's return to Peoria baseball would not be an unpopular move at this time. Peoria fans' sentiment during the latter part of the last summer leaned more and more toward Jackson as the next manager. Many times we heard Jackson's name mentioned as "Good ole Bill" whenever the subject of the next manager came up.

Pulaski Plays Friday.

Mt. Pulaski, Dec. 2—The local basketball season will be inaugurated Wednesday night when New Berlin will be the opponents of the Mt. Pulaski township high school squad. On Friday the team will play at Hartsburg.

Although as now composed the team contains only one veteran, Coach Confer believes the boys will acquit themselves in a creditable manner and full sustain the high standard of play of former squads. The revised schedule will give fans an opportunity to see the boys in action in five games on the local floor.

CHURCH COUNCIL TO OPEN SESSION

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 2—Delegates from many sections of the U. S. and several foreign countries were arriving in Atlanta today for the opening tomorrow of the quadriennal meeting of the Federal Council of Churches. Governor Sweet of Colorado, William J. Bryan, Sir Willoughby Dickinson, London; Dr. Julius Richter, Berlin, Dr. Adolph Keller, Austria, Robert E. Speer, President of the Federal Council and others will deliver addresses.

Dazzy Vance Is Named Most Valuable Player

Brooklyn Pitcher Selected Over Rogers Hornsby for National League Trophy.

New York, Dec. 2—(AP)— Arthur (Dazzy) Vance, Brooklyn's famous pitcher and the past season's most sensational moundsman, has officially been voted the most valuable player in the National league for 1924. As a result Vance, who led all rivals in number of victories and strikeouts for the year, will receive the $1,000 cash prize, medal and diploma comprising the first award of this kind the National league has ever made.

The money will be given to the pitcher next week at the annual league meeting, but the other marks of recognition will be presented with suitable ceremony some time next season.

Vance's selection gives pitchers the highest individual laurels in both leagues, for Walter Johnson, veteran star of the world's champion Washington Senators, has been picked as the most valuable American league player.

PREFERRED OVER HORNSBY.

Vance, whose twenty-eight victories were chiefly responsible for putting Brooklyn in a contending position in the pennant race and enabling the club to finish second to the New York Giants, was awarded the league's highest honor by vote of a committee of eight baseball writers, announced today, which named the Robin ace in preference to Rogers Hornsby, great St. Louis second baseman, who led his circuit in batting for the fifth successive year, with the highest percentage in modern baseball history, it being .424.

Vance received seventy-four votes in the balloting out of a possible eighty, and was the first choice of six critics, while Hornsby was second with sixty-two votes and picked for first place by the two remaining writers. An odd feature disclosed by the vote was that Hornsby, despite his record-breaking batting, was not placed at all on one of the ballots each of which ranked ten players in the order of the writer's judgment.

FRISCH ON ALL BALLOTS.

Analysis of the vote shows that Vance and Frank Frisch, captain of the Giants, who was third with forty-three votes, were the only players named on every ballot. Hornsby and Zach Wheat, Brooklyn captain and outfielder, who finished fourth, were on seven each. Vance, besides his six firsts, was rated second by one critic and sixth by another. Hornsby's vote was made up of two firsts, three seconds, one third and one sixth place.

George Kelly, lanky Giant first sacker, was rated second by two writers, while Wheat and Rabbit Maranville, Pittsburgh shortstop, were nominated once each as runner-up. Frisch won three third places, while Roush, Cincinnati's outstanding star, was on only two ballots, getting seven votes on one and five on the other. Twenty-five players received one or more votes.

As a team, Brooklyn carried off major honors, seven members of the Robins accumulating 133 votes. The Giants, with 115, ranked second in total votes while the Pirates, with five players recognized, were next in this respect. Boston was the only club not represented in the voting.

DETAILS OF VOTE.

The detail results of the vote follow:

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

	Votes	Named on Ballots
Arthur Vance, Brooklyn	74	8
Rogers Hornsby, St. Louis	62	7
Frank Frisch, New York	43	8
Zach Wheat, Brooklyn	30	7
Ross Young, New York	35	6
George Kelly, New York	31	5
Walter Maranville, Pittsburgh	33	6
Hazen Cuyler, Pittsburgh	25	6
Jack Fournier, Brooklyn	21	4
Eddie Roush, Cincinnati	12	2
Glenn Wright, Pittsburgh	10	2
Andy High, Brooklyn	9	2
Ralph Pinelli, Cincinnati	7	1
Rube Bressler, Cincinnati	6	2
Charles Hartnett, Chicago	5	2
Burleigh Grimes, Brooklyn	5	1
James Bottomley, St. Louis	4	1
James Johnston, Brooklyn	3	1
Max Carey, Pittsburgh	3	2
Travis Jackson, New York	3	2
Emil Yde, Pittsburgh	2	1
Fred Williams, Philadelphia	1	1
Eppa Rixey, Cincinnati	1	1
Grover Alexander, Chicago	1	1
Henry De Berry, Brooklyn	1	1
Total	440	

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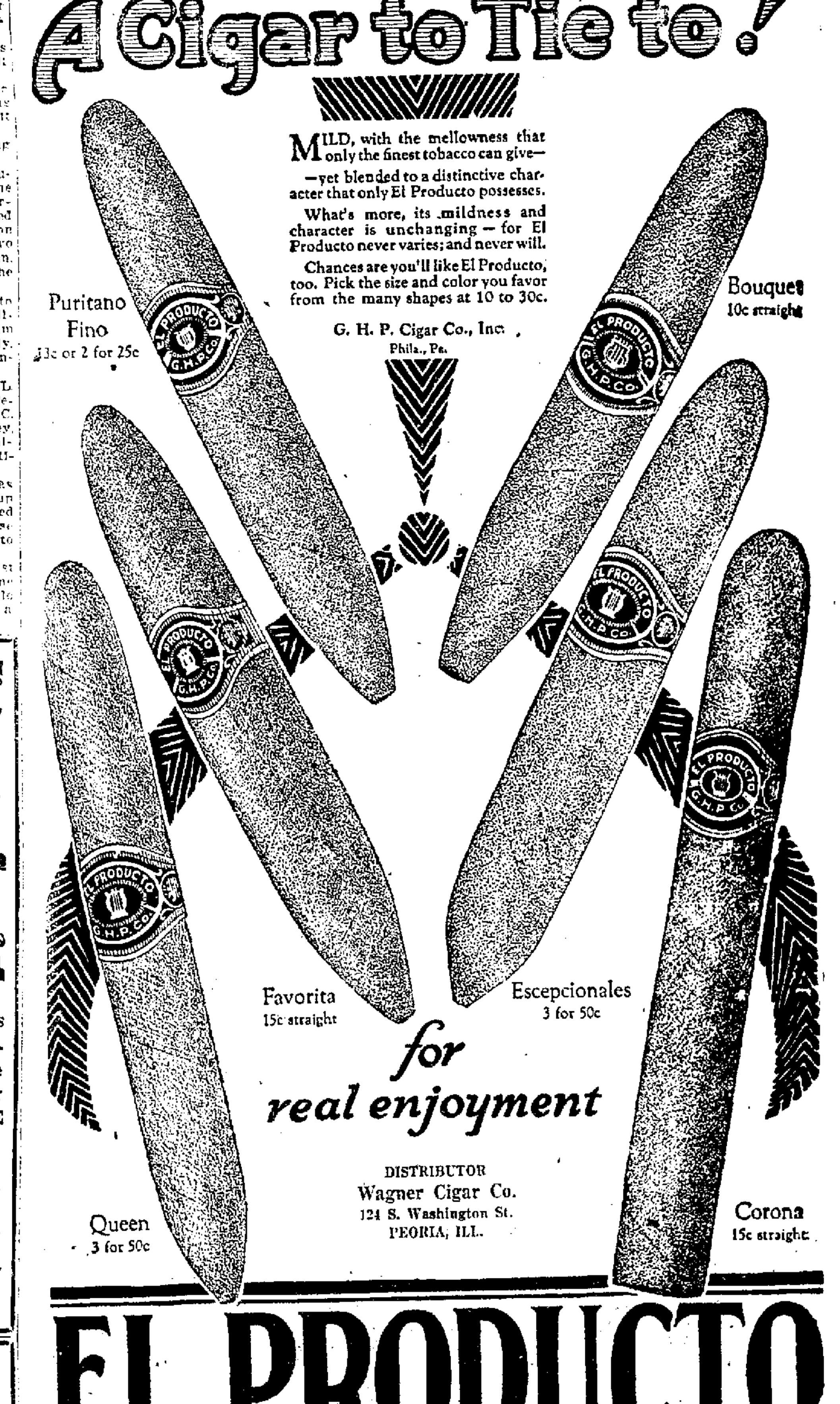

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Chamberlain-Halas Elevens Meet in Chicago.

STANDINGS.

	P.	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Cleveland	9	7	1	1	.875
Chicago Bears	11	6	1	4	.857
Philadelphia	13	10	2	1	.833
Duluth	5	4	1	0	.800
Rock Island	10	6	2	2	.750
Green Bay	11	7	4	0	.636
Buffalo	8	5	3	0	.625
Chi Cardinals	13	5	4	1	.555
Columbus	8	4	4	0	.500
Hammond	5	2	2	1	.500
Milwaukee	11	5	6	0	.455
Dayton	8	2	6	0	.250
Kansas City	9	2	7	0	.222
Akron	7	1	6	0	.143
Kenosha	6	0	5	1	.000
Minneapolis	6	0	6	0	.000
Rochester	6	0	6	0	.000

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2—The Chicago Bears and Cleveland Bulldogs will clash for the national professional football championship Sunday afternoon at the Cubs' Park. Cleveland, which this Fall took over most of the 1923 Canton Bulldog champions, leads the National league with the Bears twenty points behind in second place. A victory for the Bears would give them the championship for 1924.

An old Chicago favorite, Guy Chamberlain is coaching and leading the Bulldogs. He was with the Staleys years ago, and when playing end for Nebraska was considered one of the best wingmen ever seen. He has brought the Cleveland club up to a high degree of perfection in the open style of game.

WORKMAN WITH GUY.

With Workman of Ohio State, one of the greatest forward passers in the history of the Conference, doing the tossing the Bulldogs have rolled up some big scores this season. They beat Milwaukee, the club that gave the Bears a fight, 53 to 19. Earlier in the Fall the Bulldogs jolted the Bears, 16 to 14, the only game the Chicagoans have dropped this year.

Among the former Canton Bulldogs now with Cleveland are Center Osborne, Penn State; Guard Comstock, Georgetown; Tackle Lyman, Nebraska; Halfback Elliott, Lafayette; quarterback Roberts, Navy, and Fullback Jones, Grove City.

Halfback Noble, the plunging star of Nebraska, who started for the Cornhuskers last season is now with the Bulldogs.

Anderson Leads Westerym.

Bloomington, Dec. 2—Ross Anderson of Fairbury, all-conference center in 1924, was Monday chosen captain of 1925 Illinois Westeyan university basketball team. Anderson is a sophomore in the College of Liberal Arts, and is also a letter man in football and track.

ASSUMPTION HOUSE CATCHES ON FIRE

Assumption, Dec. 2— The fire department was called to the home of Harry Howard on West Illinois street Saturday afternoon. Little damage was done to the house, outside of a hole in the roof. It is supposed the fire caught from a spark falling in leaves on the house.

E. G. Conrod, Mrs. Mary Loverine, and Mrs. Lena Cushing attended the funeral of Chris Conrod in Pitlo Saturday.

Victor DuBoce of Mt. Pulaski is visiting his brother, Carl DuBoce and family.

Mrs. Will Owens and daughter Mrs Kenneth Hurst are visiting with the former's son, Charles Owens, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gabbert and son Gordon were Sunday visitors with the latter's parents.

Miss Irene Corzine returned to Kansas, Ill., after spending the week-end with her parents.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Milton of Sullivan attended the funeral of William Clauson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ellison returned to Indianapolis after spending a few days with the former's brother.

Mrs. L. C. Corzine and children and Mary Elizabeth Cushing were Decatur visitors Saturday.

Mrs. G. J. Rivard returned home from Decatur Sunday where she has been for several days with her son Dr. G. J. Rivard, Jr., who is quite ill at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur.

Mrs. Lou Pattee was called to Hannibal, Mo., Friday on account of the serious illness of her brother Fred Hutchinson.

Miss Mildred Murphey returned to her school on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Miller is visiting her sister in Pontiac.

FLOYD CURL UP TO OLD TRICKS

Neoga, Ill., Dec. 2—Floyd Curl former star Millikin basketballer and captain of the 1923 cage team can still shoot a mean basket. Playing forward for the Neoga independents here Monday the Charleston boy collected seven field and seven free tosses for a total of 21 points, against the Sparks Business College five. The final score was 28 to 17.

Curl who was assistant to Norman G. Wann at Earlham last year is athletic director of the local high school.

BOWLING

WABASH LEAGUE.

DRAGS.

Player—	1st	2nd.	3rd	Tot	Ave
Cobb	181	184	172	536	179
Burwell	129	134	140	403	128
Rimer	149	142	152	423	141
V. Walker	145	177	165	480	163
Connon	153	199	176	528	176
Handicap	8	8	8		
Totals	767	883	783	2339	

GREEN BALLS.

Player—	1st	2nd.	3rd	Tot	Ave
McKinley	135	167	188	490	163
Augustus	150	150	150	450	150
Dotson	180	134	114	428	129
Head	153	166	149	468	153
Dooley	171	199	134	504	168
Totals	739	816	735	2290	

High individual score—Connon and Dooley 198, high individual average, Jim Cobb, 179.

LOCALS

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave
McCarthy	164	159	159	482	161
Stratton	111	159	138	339	113
Carmody	153	159	159	432	144
Czapanski	163	150	134	447	149
Larrick	162	202	212	576	192
Handicap	13	13	13		
Totals	769	781	832	2340	

HIGH BALLS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot	Ave.
Hiatt	144	158	231	528	176
Hill	139	176	177	482	161
Slade	132	165	180	476	159
Liebtenberger	139	176	147	462	154
Loss	209	198	188	595	182
Totals	754	858	882	2494	

High individual score—Chet Hess 231, high individual average, Eddie Larrick, 182.

RED BALLS

Player—	1st	2nd.	3rd	Tot	Ave
Morton	171	156	137	464	155
Foran	117	147	163	427	142
Clark	135	157	138	430	143
Sheehan	124	179	159	456	152
Anderson	132	153	182	467	156
Handicap	1	1	1		
Totals	732	764	741	2234	

MANIFESTS.

Player—	1st	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Lontz	152	168	174	494	165
Walker	115	114	113	342	114
Jacobs	181	124	129	434	145
Richter	152	159	179	490	164
Bray	134	127	154	415	138
Totals	734	692	749	2175	

High individual score—Jim Alderson, 182, high individual average, Hal Lontz, 165.

EXTRAS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave
Wagel	141	114	136	291	127
Bartley	124	146	105	363	121
Heller	117	178	145	400	133
Kisch	123	148	128	399	133
Graham	162	210	146	518	173
Handicap	26	26	26		
Totals	681	772	686	2061	

LIMITED.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Lahey	150	155	161	456	150
Brock	164	139	148	442	147
Renager	133	105	150	388	129
Remmers	145	154	119	420	140
Grunert	140	192	191	532	177
Totals	740	718	771	2229	

High individual score—Phil Stringham, 216; high individual average, Jack Grunert, 177.

ARMOURS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave
Kisch	129	210	136	475	158
Lyness	147	138	157	442	147
Rock	110	179	154	443	148
Leonard	160	115	148	422	141
Erikes	168	174	163	505	169
Handicap	46	46	46		
Totals	770	822	814	2368	

PICKUPS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave
Stout	174	150	177	501	167
Keck	175	145	157	477	159
Haas	112	144	154	409	136
Alderson	154	195	179	528	176
Butt	177	178	192	547	182
Totals	821	812	859	2462	

High individual score—F. V. Kisch 210; high individual average, R. Butt 182.

SHELBY STEERS GET TOP PRICE

Shelbyville, Dec. 2.—W. M. and R. C. Creswell of Shelbyville, sold yearling steers at the top of the day and and equal to the extreme top of the year at the Chicago market on Nov. 18, when they obtained $13.00 for a load of fancy yearlings. The consignment consisted of twenty-three head which averaged 1,006 pounds. They were dehorned Herefords of extra choice quality and finish and the only sale at the price.

The sale was an extra good one as there were 14,000 cattle on sale which included numerous shipments of corn-fed cattle.

COACH JOHNSON DESIRES SPEED

For His Blue and White Cage Team.

Speed and plenty of it is going to be the basis upon which Athletic Director Lee Johnson builds up his Millikin basketball team for the 1925 season.

The former Millikin star has some very good ideas about basketball despite the fact he gained much more prominence as a football and track man while in college and later as a coach.

Monday evening the first official drill was staged in the Blue and White gym with about thirty candidates out for the work. Several of the football men did not respond but Coach Johnson expects to have a full corps out within a few days.

Monday's drill was devoted entirely to fundamentals such as pivoting both front and reverse, stops, turns, and passing together with a little shooting. The big task before the coach is to get the men in condition for the Armour and Marquette games that will blast open the 1925 season Dec. 12 and 13.

SQUAD LOOKS GOOD.

Coach Johnson was more than pleased with the squad in his first view of it Monday evening. While there are a number of old men back for berths it appears that some of the freshmen are ready to assume the same place they did during the football season by holding down positions on the cage team.

The cage work is not the only thing on the mind of the coaches and athletes these days. Director Johnson is getting his work in shape so as to attend the Big Ten meeting in Chicago Friday and Saturday. This is the time all the directors and coaches in the Big Ten meet to adopt schedules, interpret rules and take care of various other matters. While the meetings with the exception of the rules interpretation meeting for basketball are closed many non-conference directors and coaches attend to gain valuable ideas.

The football lettermen have their eye on a big dinner to be given them at the Kappa Delta Chi fraternity house by E. S. Flemming of Arthur, one of the 33rd degree Blue and White boosters."

EFFINGHAM DAIRY HAS BIG BUSINESS

Purchases Average $55,000 Milk a Month.

Effingham, Dec. 2 — The Pevely Dairy company of this city is purchasing on an average of $55,000 worth of whole milk a month.

During the month of November more than 140 farmers received checks amounting to more than $50; these amounts ranging from $50, to $223.97.

E. R. Davis, manager, states that the whole milk industry in the Effingham territory, which extends in every direction from Effingham for many miles, has steadily increased in the last few years, and will continue to increase. Owing to the many crop failures the last few years, the farmers have begun to realize the value of the dairy business in this section of the country, and many are devoting their energies to dairy business in place of farming.

Arthur Davis who was arrested about a week ago for forging Henry Grimming's name to a check for $150, and trying to cash it at the Effingham State bank, was taken to the reform school at Pontiac by Sheriff Faber and his son Monday. He was sentenced from one to ten years.

M. B. Jennings of Liberty township, this county, has returned from Chicago, where he has been attending court in regard to a large estate of nearly $10,000,000, to which he and his brother Harry are heirs.

Otis Cameron of Union township, this county, and Miss Mary Van Dyke of Herd, Ill., were joined in marriage Saturday at the court house by County Judge Barney Overbeck. They will make their home on a farm in Union township.

The Effingham high school basketball team opened the season with a game Saturday night at Meeks hall, with the Greenup team and defeated them by 27 to 8.

Greenup played a good game but was unable to score on account of the strong Effingham guard. Mr. Botz of Decatur was the referee.

NEW OFFICERS.

The Effingham county officers elect assumed their respective offices Dec. 1. Henry Alt is the new circuit clerk and Miss Frances Althoff is the new deputy circuit clerk.

The retiring deputy circuit clerk, Miss Martha Koelsch, has accepted a position with the Worman Title company.

A new realty firm, which will be known as Phillips and Willenborg Real Estate Brokers, opened offices for business Dec. 1 in offices on the south side of the court house square.

Clarence Phillips, member of the firm was the retiring circuit clerk of this county and on retiring became a member of the realty firm. They will deal in real estate and make abstracts.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWSS.

Circuit court was in session Saturday afternoon with Judge William B. Wright presiding. Several cases were taken up and disposed of.

George Harder, of Shumway, who was indicted and entered a plea of guilty to forgery, was paroled, provided that he furnish bond, which he will give.

William Proctor, who gave his home as North Carolina, and who was indicted and entered a plea of guilty to stealing William Osborn's Chevrolet touring car, was paroled and he furnished bond. William Proctor is an orphan and has a twelve year old sister dependent on him. He is keeping her in school and because of letters received from different persons in Carolina who spoke very highly of him, he was paroled. He appears to be a clean young man and of good habits. It is believed that he was not connected with the stealing of the car, as he testified that he had tried to keep his companion from taking the car. Young Proctor left for his home in North Carolina Sunday.

Sheriff Faber, and son Pete, who is a deputy, left Monday morning for Pontiac in their auto where they took Bruce Schoolcraft and Will Eggers. The two young men were sentenced to serve a term of from 2 to 10 years in the reformatory for stealing Ben Ryder's car at Montrose.

GOLDEN BEARS HAVE WEAKNESS

California Must Build Up Defense for Pass.

BY WALTER CAMP

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Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 2—It behooves California to improve its defenses against forward passing if it is to hold its own or prove that Pacific Coast football is as good or better than the eastern variety in the big New Year's Day game here against Pennsylvania.

California showed that it could get into a bad hole through passes of its opponents in the Stanford game. Penn won from Cornell by passes.

On the other hand Penn is going to find Imlay, the California halfback, a very slippery customer if he is fit and ready in the New Year's clash and is not worked too hard. Likewise the Easterners will find that Dixon, of California, isn't the easiest man in football to handle.

HORRELL OUTSTANDING.

Horrell, of California, of course, is an outstanding star in the middle of the line. McGinty, of Penn is next to Horrell the best man in either line. Craig is coming very fast as is also Fairchild, Penn's other wing man.

In Douglass, Penn has the best backfield man of either team but he is sometimes erratic. Kruez is an excellent line puncher and a good interferer. McGraw, Penn's other backfield man, is always reliable. California's backfield players probably will furnish thrills but they are not quite as powerful as the Penn trio named.

HAVE GOOD KICKER.

The writers opinion from what he has seen is that California can hold its own in the punting game. Likewise it is probable that Andy Smith's screened forward pass will work against easterners. Penn also may be bothered somewhat with the formation California uses in certain plays—the splitting of end off from tackle and the positioning of Imlay on a diagonal line. Whether Penn can master this formation after a time is a question but it is a good formation.

MINOR LEAGUES IN ANNUAL MEETING

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 2— (AP) — Minor league baseball rolled up its sleeves today and prepared to tackle a maze of legislation which will cut down the tariff of the national pastime and lighten the burden of the fans.

The National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues involving every minor league club in organized baseball, in annual session today is prepared to administer a knockout punch to "extravagance."

The opening session is scheduled for 1 o'clock with a report of standing committees, appointment of special committees and other routine business on the calendar.

Virtually every major league club is represented here, on the lookout for deals.

RAY MAY MEET FINNISH RUNNERS

Chicago, Dec. 2—A race in which Joie Ray, Illinois A. C. middle distance star, may meet Paavo Nurmi and Willie Ritola, famous Finnish runners, is being arranged by officials in charge of the annual indoor handicap track and field games of the Illinois A. C. in the Coliseum January 18.

In addition to the three cornered event, competitors in the games will include teams of the Chicago A. A. University of Chicago, Northwestern, Illinois, Beloit, Wisconsin and Michigan.

YOUTHS CAPTURE LIVESTOCK HONORS

Chicago, Dec. 2—(AP)—When President Coolidge visits the International Livestock Exposition Thursday he will meet among others, the youngest producers of pure bred blue ribbon cattle the country has thus far produced.

Robert D. Armstrong, eleven, of Monmouth, Ill., won the reserve championship in the baby beef feeding competition, awards for which were posted yesterday. His calf, a registered Hereford steer, weighed 1,300 pounds. It weighed 520 pounds last spring.

Another young champion who will be presented to the president is Lloyd Taube, eighteen, Marion, Iowa, whose Aberdeen-Angus yearling won the grand championship award in the junior show.

BELLEVILLE WINNER.

The champion embrio sheep herder is A. L. Helms, eighteen, Belleville, Ill., whose pen of three grade Southdown lambs, took first honors in the junior show sheep competition.

Miss Edith Clarke, twelve, daughter of a Janesville, Wis., herder, placed second, in the junior sheep feeding competition.

Judging today centered principally on breeding classes in cattle, sheep and hogs, in which more than 3,000 head are entered.

U. OF I. CHAMPION.

The University of Illinois herd produced the year's champion Poland China barrow, and in the Duroc Jersey class, the champion was found in the entry of the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college. Iowa State college sent in the best pen of ten in this class.

From the University of Minnesota herd was chosen the champion Berkshire barrow.

Iowa State college furnished the champion Chester White barrow.

In the sheep houses Canadian entries were successful. The champion Southdown wether was picked from the herd of Cecil Stobbs, Wheatley, Ont., while from the herds of H. M. Lee, High Gate, Ont., came the year's champions in the Cotswold and Lincoln wether classes.

The champion Shropshire wether was from the entry of the Iroquois Farm, Cooperstown, N. Y.

FRUIT HEIRS SUE TO UPSET DEED

Claim Former Dewitt Landowner Was Unbalanced.

Clinton, Dec. 2.—Attorney L. O. Williams of Clinton on Monday filed suit in the United States district court at Springfield for his clients, Harry and Garret Fruit and Mrs. Rose Spellman, also of this city, asking that a deed to 478 acres of land in Washington county, Miss., be set aside.

JAMES FRUIT HEIRS.

The three above named are heirs of the late James Fruit, wealthy landowner of Dewitt county for many years previous to his demise and upon his second marriage shortly before his death he deeded to his wife, Mayme Fruit, this land besides giving her large sums of money. The heirs are asking this deed be set aside and that an accounting be demanded of Mrs. Fruit and Hider Collier, tenant on the land.

MADE SETTLEMENT.

The suit explains the fact that Mr. Fruit was of unsound mind when the deed was made and unfair means were used to cause him to leave his children out of the will and deed the land as he did. Previous to his death, Mr. Fruit gave the sum of $7,500 to his wife with the understanding that she relinquish all claims to this land which she has failed to do. She is now residing in Webb City, Jackson county, Miss.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license was issued Monday from the county clerk's office to Dewey George Weaver, 26, Lincoln and Ruby Margaret Kechma, 22, Eureka, Ill.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

Mrs. B. G. Clark of near Kenney has received word of the death of Mrs. Martha Blangy, former Dewitt county resident which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ella Walker at Akron, Ohio, on Sunday. Remains are to be taken to Kenney on Wednesday and funeral arrangements made following their arrival.

Mrs. Blangy was 83 years of age and came to Kenney from Henderson, Ky., her birth place, in 1891, and resided there until 1923 when she went to Akron to reside with the daughter. Aside from the daughter she is survived by on son, A. J. Blangy of Akron and one brother of Hopkinsville, Ky.

INSTITUTE SPEAKERS.

Saturday, Dec. 13, has been announced as the date for the meeting of the young people's division of the Dewitt county Sunday school association of which Raymond V. Watson of this city is superintendent.

The morning session will open at 10 o'clock and continue until noon, convening again at 1:30 o'clock, both to be held in the First Christian church.

Leon C. Tyler, superintendent of the young people's division of the Illinois State Sunday school association; Mrs. O. G. Hughes, superintendent of the young people's division of Vermilion county and Jessie Wyle, superintendent of the LaSalle county division, will be the principal speakers on the program. There will be special musical numbers by local members.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Hon. Grover C. Hoff of Clinton will be speaker of the afternoon on Sunday, Dec. 7, when the Elks will hold their annual memorial services.

The local Elks' club rooms in the Freudenstein building are being decorated or draped for the occasion. The hour of the services is set for 3 o'clock and the general public has been invited to attend. Two members of the Elks' lodge of Clinton have passed away during the last year, Attorney Edward Sweeney and Henry C. Allwood.

ROTARIANS MEET.

C. M. Warner of Clinton, assisted by his better business method committee assumed charge of the program of the Clinton Rotary club at their regular Tuesday luncheon.

The discussion of modernized business methods is a subject that is interesting every Rotarian and Tuesday's meeting proved exceptionally interesting to members of the Association.

VISITS SON.

Chief Dispatcher P. J. Mallon of the Illinois Central returned Monday from Dubuque, Ia., where he made a brief visit with Paul Mallon, Jr., a student at the University.

SIGN ANGLO-GERMAN COMMERCIAL PACT

London, Dec. 2—(AP)— The Anglo-German commercial treaty was signed at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Foreign Secretary Chamberlain and Lord D'Adernon, British ambassador to Berlin, signed for England, and Dr. Friederich St. Hamer, German ambassador to England, and Dr. Von Schubert representing the German finance ministry signed for Germany.

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WALKER'S TITLE IS NOT INVOLVED

New York, Dec. 2—Mickey Walker's welter weight title will be safe when he meets Mike McTigue, light heavy weight champion, in the Newark Armory on January 7, but he will have a chance at his opponent's honors. Articles for the match were signed yesterday.

McTigue's inability to make the welter weight limit puts Walker's crown out of danger while if he fails to complete the scheduled 12 rounds as the result of knockouts, disqualification or foul, he will surrender his own laurels.

WOMAN IN SAME HOUSE 67 YEARS

Bloomington, Dec. 2—Mrs. Bertha Egert has lived in the same house in this city for 67 years. She was married there in 1858 and, during the Civil War, ran a "table" at which were fed the soldiers of this community as they were recruited. Her boarders would increase in number until they made up a carload and then would suddenly drop as these were shipped away and another carload was gathered.

She lived then close to the group of wooden stores that composed the "up town" of Bloomington. Today, the business district has changed to brick and has moved a half-mile away. Her husband died in '92. She is now 85 years of age and confined to her home, but is serene in the enjoyment of her children.

KREIGER ESTATE AT STONINGTON SOLD

80 Acres Sell At $202—120 Acres At $168.

Stonington, Dec. 2—Allen and Arthur Kreiger, administrators of the estate of A. F. Kreiger, sold out his estate which consisted of 200 acres of land last Saturday. Eighty acres was purchased by Mr. Grieve of Edinburg for $202 per acre and 120 acres was purchased by Gus Kreiger at $168 per acre. Col. W. A. Watkins was the auctioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Doyle left Wednesday morning for Chicago to visit their daughter, Maude, who is teaching there, also other relatives and friends.

Miss Minnie and Mr. Fred Ogden, who are attending Normal school at Normal, Ill., spent their Thanksgiving vacation here with their parents.

Miss Edna Duerr spent her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Rossville.

Miss Helen Hershey of Decatur spent Thanksgiving vacation here.

Miss Gertrude Dwyer spent Thanksgiving vacation at Rossville at the home of Edna Duerr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Coady a baby girl, Monday, Nov. 24.

Miss Anna Stremsterfer spent her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Springfield.

William Baker spent his Thanksgiving vacation at his home in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Drake, Miss Ila Drake, Mrs. A. B. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Corzine and family spent Thanksgiving day at Arthur, Ill., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Drake.

Miss Eleanor Stork of Taylorville visited relatives here Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Morrison spent her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Jamaica, Ill.

Mrs. Fred Welser spent several days last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Roadman and family at Altamont, Ill.

Miss Mildred Poor spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Streator, Ill.

Miss Edith Emerson of Decatur spent Thanksgiving vacation here with her parents and other relatives.

Miss Mary Alice Harper spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home near Assumption.

Mrs. Lucy Weitekamp and Miss Sarah Doyle left Saturday night for Chicago to attend a convention of the Catholic Daughters of America, which was held there.

Miss Ennis spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Williamsville Illinois.

PERSHING DOES NOT ASK ACTIVE DUTY

Indianapolis, Dec. 2—General J. J. Pershing, retired commander in chief, of the United States army, does not desire to be restored to active service, he wrote to National Commander Drain, of the American Legion.

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WANTS ELECTIONS AT U. S. EXPENSE

Washington, Dec. 2—Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, member of the special senate committee on investigation of 1924 campaign expenditures proposed that the federal government control and pay for future political campaigns.

G. O. P. FILES NEW CONTRIBUTORS' LIST

Washington, Dec. 2—Campaign contributions received by the Republican national committee between Oct. 25 and Nov. 25, inclusive, Hodges, national treasurer, reported Monday to the clerk of the House, while expenditures in the same period totalled $1,628,520.99.

Of the amount contributed, $163,-862.72 was received by the national headquarters in Chicago and $725,-069.06 at New York. Expenditures at the former office were placed at $1,238,918.03, and at the latter $389,-602.90.

Contributions under $100 listed for the period totalled $245,919.62, and contributions of more than $100 amounted to $953,918.82.

OVER $5,000 MARK.

Contributions of more than $5,000 include: W. W. Mellon, Pittsburgh, Pa., $10,000; Vincent Astor, New York, $10,000; F. K. Prince, Boston $25,000, Max W. Stoehr, Passiac, N. J., $6,000; H. H. Rogers, New York city $10,000. Other contributors: Cornelius Vanderbilt, New York $7,-000; Bernare E. MacFadden, New York $2,000; Archer M. Huntington, New York $5,000; Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., New York $5,000; Adolph Zukor, New York $2,500; Charles M. Schwab, New York, $5,000; Mortimer B. Fuller, Scranton, Pa., $5,-000; Cyrus H. K. Curtis, Philadelphia $2,000; H. S. Firestone, Akron, Ohio, $5,000; Mrs. William K. Dupont, Wilmington, Del., $1,000.

BLAME RUSSIANS FOR REVAL REVOLT

Riga, Dec. 2—(AP)— It is asserted here that the attempted rising in Reval Monday was provoked by Russian Communist emissaries.

The casualties included eighteen soldiers and a much larger number of Communists. Sixty persons were arrested.

NEW MOULTRIE OFFICERS SERVE

Sullivan, Dec. 2—On Monday complete change in the county officers elected at the November election was seen to take place. Cadell West succeeded S. P. English as circuit clerk, A. A. Brown of Lovington filled the chair of state's attorney in place of M. F. Wilmhoff, L. W. McMullin of Lovington succeeded C. O. Tohill of Bethany as coroner and H. C. Creech filled the office of county surveyor.

HUMANE SOCIETY GIVES $5 TO HELP NIANTIC MINERS

The Humane society of Decatur has contributed $5 from its treasury to be used for the needy miners at Niantic. In taking this action Monday, it was also agreed that the membership should be solicited for cash subscriptions and clothing. The organization feels that it wants to do whatever it can to relieve any suffering there is in that community.

Mrs. G. A. Caldwell stated, Tuesday morning, that the society is waiting patiently for news of the Illinois Central lease before it can go on with the dog shelter. Nothing further will be done until this lease question is settled.

COOLIDGE NAMES U. S. CIRCUIT JUDGE

Washington, Dec. 2 — Federal Judge Hand of the southern district of New York was nominated by President Coolidge today to be U. S. circuit judge, second district.

Rheumatism Germs Found by Science

Medical science now says that rheumatism is caused by an insidious germ which breeds in the blood stream—not by uric acid. It is a well known fact that deficiency of the blood enables these germs to breed freely, causing prolonged attacks of excruciatingly painful rheumatism. Together with this amazing discovery came the perfection of a wonderfully effective remedy, known as Nurito, which brings relief from rheumatic pain with the very first dose. It contains no harmful, habit-forming opiates nor narcotics. Nurito is absorbed by the blood stream, increases the red corpuscles and overcomes the deficiency of the blood, preventing the breeding of those vicious germs. Get Nurito today from your druggist. If it does not bring immediate relief with the first few doses, you get your money back. Nurito relieves rheumatism, sciatica, neuritis and neuralgia. All druggists sell it. Ask for Nurito.

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Raisins, 4 lb. pkg. 47c	Olive Oil Soap, 10c bar 5c
Milk, Pet and Carnation, small can . 4½c	Bulk Cocoa, 2 pounds 15c
Fancy Mixed Nuts, all new crop, lb. .. 30c	Candied Cherries, Pineapple and Sliced Citron.
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Oats new white ...
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Live Stock

Choice young hogs 1 5 1 60	9 00@9 25
Choice young hogs 200 (...)	9 ...
Heavy sows	7 0 @ 7 50
Light pigs 1 ...	7 ...
Choice cows 800 to 1000 lbs	3 0 7 50
Choice steers 760 800 lbs	6 ... 7 (0
Medium steers ...	6 ...
Choice heifers 700 to 800 lbs	6 00 ...
Good heifers 700 800 lbs	5 0 ... 5 50
Medium cows 900 1000 lbs	... 75
Cutters ..	... 3 ...
Bulls	3 0 ... 4 00
Spring lambs	9 00 @ 10 00
Veal calves	6 00 ... 8 0
Canners ...	1 00@ 2 00

Butter and Eggs

Eggs No 1 (not washed) dozen	...
Eggs No 2 dozen	30
Shipping butter	16
Butter fat ...	1 ...

Poultry

Hens over 1 ... pound	5
Hens und 4 ... lbs	1 ...
Smooth spr... over 4 ...	18
Smooth spr... under 4 ...	1 ...
Leghorn hens	11
Leghorn and bla... springs	11
Old roosters	10
Geese 0... lbs	...
Geese under 8 lbs	0...
Ducks over 4 ...	14
Ducks under 4 ...	...
Live pigeons, dozen	5

Hides

Green .	7
Cured beef No 1	...
Calf skin 8 to 15 lbs	08
Horse hides ..	3 00

CHICAGO HOGS DIME HIGHER

Receipts 68,000—Top At $9.80 Cattle Steady.

Chicago Dec 2—HOGS—Receipts 68 000 ... higher than Monday's best or 10@25c higher than yesterday's opening big packers in active top $9 80, bulk 240 to 325 pound butchers $9 00@9 ... 140 to 160 pound ... $8 00 ... packing sows ... strong weight slaughter pigs $ 00 ... heavy hogs $9 ... light ... light lights $8 75@9 00 packing hogs smooth $9 00@9 25 rough ... slaughter pigs $ ...

CATTLE—Receipts 1... fairly active all classes steady killing quality from bulk fed steers of quality and condition to sell at $10 00 and below some prime offerings held at $14 00 handy offerings $12 ... numerous strings yearlings $10 00@ 10 00 fat cows $ ... heifers $ ... canners $2 00@ 2 75 light kind 250 bolognas $3 50 @ 4 00 few $4 40 and vealers $9 00 @9 50 mostly firm outsiders paying up to $10 00

SHEEP—Receipts 21 000 fat lambs generally steady undertone weak bulk fat natives and fed westerns $15 00@15 25 feeding lambs steady handy fat ewes $7 ... @8 50 bulk feeding lambs $14 ... @15 00

Horses and Mules.

St Louis Dec 2 Native Horse ... ... choice drafts $1 ... medium good ... $... good to choice chunks $60 ... medium to good chunks $40 ... choice Southern horses $4 ... fair to good Southern horses $3... smooth mouthed Southerners $... @30 plugs $ ...

Native Mule quotations—Draft mules 16 to 17 hands $1 ... sugar mules 16 to 16 2 hands $16 ... mine mules 1 ... to 15 2 hand $1 ... cotton mules 15 22 to 16 hands $11 ... cotton mules 15 to 1... hands $90@140 small cheap mules $20@6 ...

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland Dec 2—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS Receipts 1 ... market higher top $10 00 pigs $7 10

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts light market steady

CALVES—Receipts light market steady

CATTLE—Receipts 10 market steady

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City Dec 2—CATTLE—Receipts 14 000 ... better grade fed steers ... has scarce steady to strong ... top yearlings $1... bulk fed steers and yearlings ... from 7 25@9 50 bulls dull calves steady to strong ... top on ... bulk stockers and feeders ... choice yearlings ... Monday ...

HOGS—Receipts 1... 00 ... 10c higher shipping top $9 ... bulk $8 ... heavy ... $8 ... sows $8 00 ...

SHEEP—Receipts 7 000 lambs steady to strong best fed lots $14 ... natives $14 00 ... sheep steady ... fed lots ... ranging down ... $8 00

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St Louis Dec 2—HOGS—Receipts 21 000 10@15c higher $9 70 paid for good heavies bulk 150 pounds and up $9 30@ 9 60 packer sows $8 00 ... 7

CATTLE—Receipts 7 000 quality medium little interest in steers talking lower on light yearlings and heifers cows slow few $3 ... good and choice light vealers $9 ... 00

SHEEP—Receipts 3 000 no early sales holding steady

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis Dec 2—HOGS—Receipts 21 000 steady to 5c lower heavies $9 60@ 9 80 lights $9 10@9 35 top $9 90 pigs $8 50@8 60

CATTLE—Receipts 1 400 steady steers $5 50@10 50 cows and heifers $3 5 @10 00 veals $8 00@11 ...

SHEEP—Receipts 300 higher sheep $4 00@7 00 lamb $10 00@14 75

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria Ill Dec 2—HOGS—Receipts 4 300 active to 25c higher top $9 70 lights $8 00@9 35 mediums $9 15@9 70 heavies $9 45@9 70, packers $8 35@8 8...

CATTLE—Receipts light stronger best veal calves $9 .

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo Dec 2—CLOVER SEED—Cash old $19 00 new and December $19 25 February $10 60, March $19 55

TIMOTHY SEED—Cash and December $3 30, March, $3 40

From Everybody's Magazine for December "I thought you said last night that Jen's complexion was ruined.

"So I did '

"But there she is looking as beautiful as ever

'I referred to her last night's complexion.'

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros. & Co.)

Chicago Dec 2—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes
WHEAT—					
Dec	1 2... @1...	1...	1...	1...	1...
May	160... @1 5...	151...	1 9...	150...	161
July	11... @1...	143	140	141...	143...
CORN—					
Dec	111 ...	114...	113...	114...	113 ...
May	1 21 @120...	121 ...	119 ...	1 21...	1 21
July	1 21 @1 21...	122 ...	1 0 ...	1 2...	1 2...
OATS—					
Dec	5... @ 51 ...	52	51	51 ...	...
May	... @ 58...	5...	...	58...	5...
July	... @	...	56...	5...	
RYE—					
Jan	1 3 @	3	130...	1 1	1...
May	... @	12	160...	1 0 ...	1 ...
LARD—					
Jan	1 20—	1 ...	151...	1500	1522
May	1 ...	1 6	1...	1 1	1 0
RIBS—					
Jan	@				3 7
May	@			13...	1 ...

WHEAT SEES SHARP BREAK

Chicago Dec 2—Heavy selling on the part of houses with eastern connections led to a sharp break in wheat prices today despite strength which developed earlier

Pressure of new crop Argentine wheat at Liverpool was cited as a reason for selling The close was unsettled at 2¼c net decline to ... gain December $1 ... @ ... and May $1 ... @ ...

The opening here which ranged from ... to 1 ... lower with December $1 52@ ... and May $1 59 ... @ 1 60 ... was followed by an upturn to well above yesterday's finish and then something of reaction

Subsequently the market ran into big selling orders and with support relatively lacking there was a pronounced drop which later was only overcome in part

CORN FOLLOWS

Corn paralleled wheat Country offerings to arrive were light After opening ... at ... decline May $1 20¾ @ ... the market scored slight gains

During the last part of the day the market was responsive to drought reports from Argentine Prices closed firm at same as yesterday's finish to ... higher May $1 21¼

Oats started unchanged to ¼c off May 58@ ... and later showed a little advance

Provisions were firm

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago Dec 2—WHEAT—No 1 hard $1 ... 3 hard $1 ... CORN No 2 mixed $1 15@1 14 4 mixed $1 0 ... 5 mixed $1 04@1 08 6 mixed ... 2 yellow $1 16 ... 3 yellow $1 11 ... 4 yellow $1 08@1 10 ... yellow $1 ... 6 yellow $1 05@1 10 2 white ... 3 white $1 11 4 white $1 07@ ... 5 white $1 04@1 0 ... 6 white $1 0 ... sample grade $80@1 01

OATS—No 2 white 50 ... 4 white 48 ...

RYE—No 2 $1 29

BARLEY—70 ...

TIMOTHY—$ ...

CLOVER—$20 00@ ...

LARD—$1 ...

RIB —$1 ...

BELLIES—$ ...

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria Ill Dec 2—CORN—Receipts 41 cars ... off ... white $1 03 ... yellow new $1 03 ... yellow new $1 14 ... yellow old 1 02 new $1 09 @ 1 03 ... mixed $1 14 5 mixed old $1 18 new $1 01 @1 0 ...

OATS—Receipts 1 car inactive

St. Louis Grain.

St Louis Dec 2—CASH WHEAT—2 red $1 69 ... red $1 6 ... 1 6

CORN—2 white $1 1... 2 yellow $1 11

OATS—3 white 54 4 white ...

CLOSE WHEAT—December $1 52¾ May $1 ... @1 ...

CORN—December $1 12 May $1 20¾@ 1 0

OATS—December ...

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City Dec 2—WHEAT—2 hard $1 40 @1 ... 2 red $1 ... @1 64 December $1 47 ... bid May $1 51¼ split bid July $1 34 ... asked

OATS—2 white $1 07 2 yellow $1 08@ 1 ... 3 yellow $1 ... @1 07 ... mixed $1 06 @1 07 ... December $1 07 ... split May $1 13 ... split July $1 1 ... split bid

OATS—2 white 4... 3 white ...

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis Dec 2—WHEAT—Receipts 2... cars 1 northern $1 ... @1 ... dark northern spring choice to fancy $1 ... @1 ... 1 dark hard Montana on track $1 51¾@1 67¾ to arrive $1 ... 1 67¾ old December $1 51 new $1 51½ May $1 56¾

CORN—3 yellow $1 11 @1 1

OATS—3 white 48@49 ...

St. Louis Hay.

St Louis Dec 2—HAY—Receipts 21 cars including 16 timothy 3 clover mixed and ... alfalfa Steady and firm on top grades quiet otherwise Sales Timothy—Part car no grade at $1... 2 cars No 2 at $16 3 cars do at $17 1 car do at $18 3 cars do at $19 1 car do at $20 2 cars standard 1 at $21 4 cars do at $22 2 cars No 1 at $23 1 car at $24 Clover mixed—1 car heavy mixed at $18 Clover—2 cars No 2 at $15

Chicago Produce.

Chicago Dec 2—BUTTER—Lower creamery extras 48½c standards 4... extra firsts 44@47c firsts 3... @40c seconds 3... @3 ... c

EGGS—Higher receipts 2 204 cases firsts 48@52c ordinary firsts 3... @40c refrigerator extras 3... @37½c firsts 30¾@36c

POULTRY—Alive unsettled fowls 14½ @20... c springs ...c roosters 11½c turkeys 20c geese 17c ducks 17c

POTATOES—Limited trade better feeling, receipts 40 cars total U S shipments 44... Minnesota sacked round whites mostly around 80@90c Wisconsin sacked round whites fair to ordinary 85@95c, Idaho sacked russets $1 70@2 00

New York Produce.

New York Dec 2—BUTTER—Steady receipts 11 362 creamery firsts 38 to 91 score 39 ... @46 ... c

EGGS—Unsettled receipts 13 89...

CHEESE—Firm receipts 310 ...

Live poultry weak freight chickens 1... @19 broilers 2 ... @27 fowls 10@ 2 ... roosters 15 turkeys 20

Express chickens 19@2... broilers 28@ 32 fowls 17@26 turkeys 2 ... @ 0

Dressed irregular chickens 20@4 ... fowls 18@30

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York Dec 2—Raw and refined sugar unchanged

MONEY MARKET

New York Dec 2—Call money firm high closing bid last loan 3½ ruling rate 3 offered 3½ call loans against acceptances 2... time loans firm mixed collaterals 60 90 days 3¾@3 ... 4 6 months ... prime commercial paper 3...

Metal Markets.

New York Dec 2—COPPER—Firm electrolytic spot and futures 14¼@1...

TIN—Firm spot and futures $55 77

IRON—Steady unchanged

LEAD—Steady spot $8 85@9 00

ZINC—Firm East St Louis spot and futures $1 0 ... @7 10

ANTIMONY—Spot $14 37

NEW YORK SILVER

New York Dec 2—Bar silver 69½c Mexican dollars, 53⅝c

TRADE NEWS AIDS PRICES

Main Movement Is Upward—Call Money 3 Pct.

New York Dec 2—Uneven price movements characterized the movement of today's stock market Initial changes as a rule being of a fractional nature The first sale of U S Steel was a block of 2 000 shares at 116 off ½ U S Realty common advanced 2 points the preferred one and Hudson and Manhattan touched a new 1924 top at ... up to 1¼

WEAK SPOTS

A few weak spots developed during early trading Loose Wiles Biscuit breaking three points, Otis Steel preferred ... Frisco common 1¾ and Air Reduction 1 This selling apparently had little effect elsewhere because the market soon headed upward U S Realty extended its gain to 6¾ points for the common and 3¼ for the preferred

Atchison touched a new 1924 top at 117 and Katy at 23⅞ Foreign exchanges opened strong demand sterling rising ¾ of a cent and francs selling just under 5¼ cents

MOVEMENT UPWARD

The main price movement continued upward throughout the morning with buying stimulated by favorable trade news Bullish demonstrations were most effective in the rails shippings and public utilities, Erie first preferred B and O preferred American Waterworks issues being added to the list of new 1924 highs

U S Realty extended its gain to 6¾ points U S Distributing preferred moved up 5 and U S Industrial Alcohol International Harvester and Remington Typewriter second preferred sold 2 to 2½ points above last night's close Call money opened at 3 percent

LAST SALES

Allied Chemical & Dye	...
American Can	115⅞
American Car & Foundry	174
American Locomotive	83¼
American Smelting & Refining	80⅝
American Sugar	48
American Tel Tel	13...
American Tobacco	169⅞
American Water Works	143
American Woolen	...
Anaconda Copper	40⅜
Atchison	116
Atlantic Coast Line	143¾
Baldwin Locomotive	1...
Baltimore & Ohio	7...
Bethlehem Steel	48 ...
California Petroleum	...
Canadian Pacific	151¼
Central Leather pfd	51
Cerro de Pasco	48 ...
Chandler Motor	3...
Chesapeake & Ohio	91
Chicago & Northwestern	6...
Chicago Mil & St Paul pfd	...
Chicago R I Pac	1 ...
Chile Copper	3...
Coca Cola	78...
Colorado Fuel	39¾
Congoleum	41...
Consolidated Gas	7...
Corn Products	41 ...
Cosden Oil	26 ...
Crucible Steel	70
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	60 ...
Davison Chemical	41¾
Du Pont de Nemours	13...
Erie	31
Famous Players	...
General Asphalt	71¾
General Electric	268 ...
General Motors	61¼
Great Northern pfd	...
Gulf States Steel	79
Houston Oil	74¾
Hudson Motors	31¾
Illinois Central	114⅞
Int Harvester	104
Int Mer Marine pfd	46¾
Invincible Oil	14⅜
Kelly Springfield	16⅞
Kennecott Copper	50¼
Lehigh Valley	71
Louisville Nash	103¾
Mack Truck	110½
Marland Oil	38
Maxwell Motors A	...
Mexican Seaboard Oil	...
Missouri Kan & Texas	...
Missouri Pacific pfd	7...
Montgomery Ward	4 ...
National Biscuit	73¾
National Lead	1...
New York Central	117¼
N Y N H and Hartford	...
Norfolk & Western	123¾
North American	44
Northern Pacific	69⅝
Pacific Oil	...
Pan American Petroleum B	51...
Pennsylvania	4...
Philadelphia & Reading C & I	4...
Phillips Petroleum	3 ...
Pure Oil	...
Reading	7 ...
Republic Iron & Steel	...
Reynolds Tobacco B	78 ...
St Louis & San Francisco	61¾
Seaboard Air Line	...
Sears Roebuck	11...
Sinclair Con	16¾
Sloss Sheffield Steel	79½
Southern Pacific	101⅝
Southern R Rway	76
Standard Oil Cal	6...
Standard Oil N J	3...
Stewart Warner	6...
Studebaker	43...
Texas Company	43 ...
Texas & Pacific	44
Tobacco Products	7...
Transcontinental Oil	4
Union Pacific	146¼
United Drug	1...
United States Cast Iron Pipe	1...
United States Ind Alcohol	81
United States Rubber	39½
United States Steel	116⅛
Utah Copper	81½
Wabash pfd A	57⅛
Westinghouse Electric	64 ...
Willys Overland	10⅜
Woolworth	112

LIBERTY BONDS

New York Dec 2—Liberty bonds closed 3½s $100 ...8

First 4s $101 23 bid

Second 4s $101 ...

First 4¼s $101 ...

Second 4¼s $101 ...

Third 4¼s $101 1...

Fourth 4¼s $10...

New 4¼s $105 11

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York Dec 2—Foreign exchanges firm Great Britain demand $4 64 ... cables $4 64⅞ France demand $5 47½ Italy demand 4 34¾ Belgium demand ... Germany demand ... Holland 40 ... Norway 14 84 Sweden 26 00 Denmark ... Switzerland 19 ... Spain 1 ... Greece 1 ... Poland 19 ... Czecho Slovakia ... Argentine 38 12 Brazil 11 ... Tokio ... Montreal 99 31 ...

New York Cotton.

New York Dec 2—COTTON—Futures opened steady December 22 62 January 22 ... March 23 18 May 23 58 July 23 55 Cotton futures closed steady December $22 90 to $22 92 January $23 04 @23 08 March $23 44 to $23 48, May $23 78@23 80 July $23 8... to $2 8...

SPOT COTTON—Quiet middling 23 40

NO SPECIAL TRAIN FOR COOLIDGES

Washington Dec 2—Believing that curtailment of White House expenditures would set an example for the executive departments and congress accommodations have been reserved at the president's direction for himself, Mrs Coolidge and their party on one of the regular trains for the trip to Chicago this week The fares to be paid will be the same as those paid by ordinary travelers.

Local Notices

DR H M WOOD

Has returned and is again at his old office, 117 N Water St

DANCE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

'Merry Ment 2... E Main St Illinois Seven Orchestra

HALF AND HALF DANCE

Tuesday night 8 30 to 11 30 p m Eagles hall Admission 35c

HICKORY NUTS

Buy now at right price Car of Red River Ohio potatoes cheapest in town best quality Winter apples 5... N Broadway

PUBLIC DANCE

Moose hall Tuesday, Dec 2 C P Grant and his famous Iowans singing dance band Guaranteed to be as good as the Seven Floridans Hours 8 30-12 Adm 45c

LEARN MARCEL WAVING

New beauty culture class begins December 15th Enroll now Mrs Heller's Beauty School 136 S Water

ALL MUELLER EMPLOYES RESUME WORK WEDNESDAY

We find it possible to resume work in all departments Wednesday morning, December 3rd Employes be governed accordingly Mueller Co

FUNERALS

Mrs Amelia Behrend—At 2 o clock Wednesday afternoon at the home and 2 30 at St Johannes Lutheran church Burial in the Lutheran cemetery The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the home at 1 45 o clock

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Edward W Boessler — At 2 30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Monson chapel by Rev I Harley Marsh

Mrs Sarah Williams—At 12 30 o clock Wednesday noon at the Dawson & Wikoff chapel and at 2 30 at the Methodist church in Pana Burial in the Linnwood cemetery

Mrs Martha Pendleton—At 2 o clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of her son J O Bealls in Wallensburg The body will leave the Monson chapel at 8 o clock Wednesday morning The burial will be in the Illini cemetery

SPECIAL WATER WORKS ELECTION

Bement to Decide on Issue of $18,000 Bonds.

Bement Dec 2—A special election has been called and will be held on Friday Dec 19 for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the village of Bement Ordinance No 213—an ordinance providing for the issue of Water Works Improvement Bonds to the amount of eighteen thousand dollars ($18 000) and providing for the payment therefor

The ordinance was adopted by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Bement on November 25 1924 and provides that said bonds be dated December 1 1924 be of the denomination of $500 each to be numbered from 1 to 36 inclusive mature in numerical order from July 1 1926 to July 1 193... increasing $500 each year and that there be levied during each of the years 1925 to 1934 inclusive a direct annual tax upon the taxable property within said village sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it accrues and the principal thereon at maturity

ASK BIDS

The waterworks committee of the village of Bement will receive bids on the equipment fixtures and apparatus to be used in the enlargement and extension of the present water works system up to 9 30 o clock a m Dec 29 1924 when such bids will be opened and discussed at the village hall

HERRON IS CIRCUIT CLERK FOR SHELBY

Shelbyville Dec 2—Changes were made in two county offices Monday morning E E Herron took the office of circuit clerk which for the past four years has been held by W W Griffith of Windsor and Lafe Tallman took the office of county coroner which was held for fifteen months past by Samuel D Whiles Mr Herron entered his duties Monday morning Foy Morse has been appointed deputy clerk to succeed Mis W W Griffith Miss Lydia Hancock is office assistant

Mr Tallman moved the equipment of the coroner's office to the city hall where he has his office as city police magistrate

During the past fifteen months Samual Whiles has held the office as county coroner he has conducted fifty-one inquests, which is probably a record number for any similar period of time in Shelby county

MINISTER GOES

Rev and Mrs N H Robertson left Shelbyville about seven o clock Monday morning starting for their new home at Danbury Conn Mr Robertson has accepted a call to the First Christian church there The trip is being made by automobile Their household effects were already prepared for shipment

The home of Mont Middlesworth at 2611 North Broadway was almost totally destroyed by fire about 9 30 o'clock Sunday morning The fire started on the roof and consumed the entire roof and most of the upper part doing damage estimated at $2 000 00 Part of the furniture in the upper story was saved

MAY-RUSSELL

Harry Russell, son of Mr and Mrs John Russell of near Trowbridge, and Miss Margaret May, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles May of near Sigel were married by County Judge W C Kelley in his office in this city Saturday afternoon Witnesses to the ceremony were Frank and Anna Kennedy The groom is a young farmer and the couple will make their home on a farm near Trowbridge.

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BARBER SHOP—Friends and customers I have shop at residence 812 W Packard Please call after 6 30 evenings or Sunday mornings J B Thompson

NO HUNTING—Allowed west and north of Decatur Sunnyside Riversdale and Warrensburg Signed Riversdale A H T A

Strayed, Lost, Found. 10

BICYCLE—Blue Westminster bicycle was stolen taken by mistake from 125 E William about 7 30 Sunday evening Belonged to Review carrier Please call Main 191

FRATERNITY PIN—With small diamond in center lost Finder call Main 4... Liberal reward

JERSEY COW—Blue strayed from 801 S Third Reward for information Fair 2479

LOST—$10 between ... N Main & Leath's Furniture Store Liberal reward Mrs ... Ernst ... N Jasper Fairview 2169

MINK FUR NECK PIECE—Lost near corner Pine and William Reward Main 31 5

PONY—Spotted 1 glass eye strayed from 2517 E William Sunday night

$50 REWARD $ ...—For information leading to recovery arrest and conviction of thief who stole black ticked female hound with a docked tail on night of Nov 28th Friday 114 W Decatur St M 4170

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK—19... roadster 1923 Ford coupe 1923 Chevrolet touring 19...3 Chevrolet sedan model 57 Cadillac coupe two Nash Six sport models two Nash Six tourings Small payment down Balance monthly Nash Motor Sales Co 241 South Main Main 411

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

DODGE—Coupe good running order good tires priced to sell

MARMON—Late 1923 sedan This car came to us from the original owner and is in perfect condition both mechanical and in appearance Has had very little mileage Here's an opportunity to possess an ideal car at a very nominal price

CADILLAC CO OF DECATUR

418 32 E WILLIAM MAIN 722

CHEVROLET TOURING—1923 superior model Repainted and thoroughly reconditioned Looks and runs like new A dandy light weight economical car Only one year old ½ price Only $300 $100 down balance monthly W C Starr 30 N Main St Main ...31

FORD—Late ...3 touring Many extras In excellent condition Can be seen at 1732 N Warren St

FORD—19...0 coupe Repainted and in fine running condition All tires good Price $200 Easy terms W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2 1

FORD—1922 roadster has starter In fine mechanical condition A real good buy at $125 W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2 1

FORD—19...3 coupe 1923 Chevrolet sedan Comet sedan G Perre 121 N Church Main 7...

FORD CHASSIS—You can have it as it is for $10 W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2 1

FORD TOURING—1917 $35 Call 440 E Grand Fairview 198

OLDS—1924 23 and 22 sedans New paint and good mechanically Talbott Barry Co 381 E Prairie Main 208

HAYNES—Late model 75 Brougham four-passenger A-1 mechanically cord tires good has had excellent care driven 9 000 miles. See it. J G Starr & Son 1...2 South Franklin street Main 979

HAYNES—5 passenger to trade for Ford and pay the difference Call 9... N Main St

MAXWELL—Good running shape $20 W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 231

MAXWELL—

MAXWELL—1923 touring

BUICK—Brand new touring

OVERLAND—19...2 touring

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO

244 E WOOD MAIN 1250

OVERLAND—19...2 touring Model 4 Previously in the hands of a very particular gentleman who traded it on a closed car Looks and runs like new A real bargain if we ever had one $90 down balance monthly W C Starr 530 N Main St Main 2 1

REO MOTOR SALES CO BARGAINS—

FORDS—1919 touring With winter top In good shape 1924 coupe A 1 condition 1922 sedan looks and runs good 1920 roadster

REOS—1917 six roadster 1916 four roadster Two 1917 four tourings 1917 big six touring

BUICKS—1919 and 1917 six tourings

LEXINGTON—1917 six touring

GARDNER—1922 coupe Splendid condition driven less than 5 000 miles

REO MOTOR SALES CO

236 E NORTH ST. MAIN 768

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

HUDSON—1919 Super-Six touring mechanically good driven very little has had excellent care tires are good a bargain Rewerts & Ebler Fair and Square" 314 East Main Main 172

STUDEBAKERS—

STUDEBAKER—19... special 6 sedan Refinished and in A 1 condition

STUDEBAKER—1923 special 6 touring Refinished and in fine shape

FORD—1923 sedan In good condition Several extras Has Bosch ignition

STUDEBAKER—1923 special 6 coupe Refinished and in good condition

STUDEBAKER—2 1923 light 6 tourings Both in good shape

SHELTON—1923 roadster Fine shape Used very little

STUDEBAKER—1923 light 6 coupe Refinished and in good condition

SEVERAL OTHERS—Not listed for $35 up

W M FILMORE & SON

2 2 8 MAIN MAIN 807

FREDE & SON USED CARS—

DODGE—19...2 roadster Cord tires shock absorbers Runs fine

FORD—1923 roadster Starter and heater

OVERLAND—1924 touring car like new

OAKLAND—19...1 sedan Has new cord tires

CHEVROLET—1924 touring car Save a extras Driven very little

FORD—19 3 touring car Winter top

CHEVROLET—1923 sedan

FORD—1923 touring car Starter and demountable rims

CHEVROLET—19...3 coupe

CHEVROLET—1922 sedan

OVERLAND—1922 touring car

HUDSON—1917 touring car

CHEVROLET—1922 touring car

PAIGE—1918 touring car

USED CHEVROLETS PARTS

WM FREDE & SO

Chevrolet Dealers

1...6 130 N FRANKLIN ST MAIN 1718

CLEAN UP SALE ON USED CARS—

35 LATE MODELS—To select from Your old car taken in trade Easy terms

E G HEDGES

332 E MAIN ST MAIN 538

LIGHT USED CARS—Bought sold and exchanged Thompson Used Car Mkt 163 S Main Main 1974

LOOK—LOOK—LOOK—1921 Ford touring traded to us for 6-cyl car Driven but little Like a new car $3... will buy it Come early Tenney & Co 138 W William

USED CARS—

FORD—1923 touring ... 5 tires a bargain at $150

ESSEX—1922 touring New paint new top and seat cover 6 cord tires and many extras, $400

STUDEBAKER—Big 6 seven passenger touring 1922 model In perfect condition 6 tires new paint

RICKENBACKER—Model A 6 cyl Newly painted 5 new cord tires A 1 mechanically

ABOVE CARS—Carry our guarantee

PRAIRIE AUTO PAINT SHOP

739-45 E PRAIRIE AVE MAIN 1082

WE WANT TO BUY—Your Ford coupes and sedans Also any other light closed cars Adams Used Car Mkt 503 N Main Main 2091

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

FORD—Light delivery truck 19...3 $175 303 W Main Main 4690

Auto Accessories. 13

PARTS—For all makes of cars new and used Shaw's 632 S Franklin

TIRES—Sacrificed 30x3 30x3½ $3 All other sizes $4 0 Used Tire Store ...33 E Eldorado Open 7 a m to 8 p m

Motorcycles and Bicycles. 15

BICYCLE—24 inch For boy up to 12 years Good condition Main 5...79

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Service Offered. 18

BOILERS—Pipes furnace parts welded and repaired Decatur Welding Co. 1217 East Eldorado Main 6901.

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Gifts for Her. A

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CHRISTMAS SAVINGS—Open a Christmas savings account for him at the Farmers State Bank & Trust Company.

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WATCHES AND DIAMONDS—Unredeemed diamonds and watches at a great saving; a small deposit will hold any article until Christmas. Wm. Rosenberg, 125 South Water.

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Gifts for the Children. C

BABY RINGS—Something new—something different, white, green or yellow gold; $1.50 to $2 each. Frank Curtis Co., 156 East Main street.

BATTERIES—Get your boy the famous Willard storage "A" battery for best results with his radio. Decatur Battery Service, 317 East Main.

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CHRISTMAS CLUB MEMBERSHIP—Serves a double purpose. Start them right. Citizens National Bank. "The Home of Savings."

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COASTER WAGONS—Ball bearing; rubber-tired disc wheels; body of the best grade of hard wood; size of body, 38x16; natural wood finish with red enamel top rails and trimmings; fill the boy with joy; $9.75. F. M. Meridith Co., 320 East Cerro Gordo street.

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WATCHES—Give your boy a watch. Elgin and Waltham jeweled movements, in gold-filled cases, for $15 and $20. Martin's Watch Shop, 140 North Main.

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BATHROOM FIXTURES—Take your Christmas money and have complete bathroom fixtures installed in your home. Smith & McDaniel, 136 N. Franklin. M. 5610.

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CHRISTMAS FLOWERS—Potted plants and Christmas wreaths. Daut Bros. Florists, 120 East Prairie. Main 733.

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RADIO SETS—Atwater-Kent, $85 up; Crosley, $18.50 up. North Main Tire and Radio Shop, 718 North Main.

ELECTRIC CLEANERS—A Royal electric cleaner will save time and labor for the housekeeper, every woman will welcome one for Christmas; $5 down will deliver it—with a full year to pay. Wm. Gushard Co.

ELECTRIC WASHERS—A 1900 Cataract electric washer will make life more pleasant, labor lighter for the woman in the home. $5 delivers it; a year to pay the balance. Ask for a demonstration. Wm. Gushard Co.

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Gifts for the Home. D

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CENTER ST., E., 247—Board in private family. Main 1399.

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ROOMS AND BOARD

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CALHOUN ST., N., 339—Suite of 2 modern furnished rooms.

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WEST SIDE—Modern furnished rooms. Garage. Phone Fairview 457.

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Apartments and Flats. 74

BROADWAY, N., 710—Four-room modern flat. Apply 541 Wabash avenue.

MAIN ST., W.,—6-room apartment, city heat and water furnished. Main 4005.

MAIN ST., W., 230½—Three unfurnished rooms. Fairview 1475.

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WOOD ST., E., 1501—5-room flat, heat and lights.

WOOD ST., W.—300 block, modern 3-room unfurnished apartment. Fairview 504.

EAST SIDE—Furnished 3-room apartment, gas range and sink in kitchen. Main 2113.

FLAT—Four rooms, strictly modern; all outside rooms. Call Fairview 585.

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MAIN ST., N., 346—Business room, formerly occupied by the Gately Clothing Co., size 22x84. Suitable for retail business. Will lease for five years. See Geo. Moeller Jr., 228 Citizens Bank Bldg. or 157 McClelland Ave.

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STORE ROOM—328 N. Water. Steam heat. Room 60x120. 250 E. William. 3-story brick building, 502 E. William. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

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GREEN ST., W., 453—Very convenient, garage, concrete drive. Main 6518.

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CENTER ST., E., 523—5-room modern cottage. Call at 812 E. Center. Main 6907.

CENTER ST., W.—New 5-room bungalow, partly modern. $23 per month. E. F. Drobisch & Son, 116 Merchant St. Main 2047.

CENTRAL AVE., 336—7-room, all strictly modern house. Apply 451 N. Water. Main 4478.

CONDIT ST., E., 722—5-room modern house. Call at 730 E. Condit St.

CONDIT ST., E., 903—6 rooms modern. Garage. Godwin & Gooddard, over West's Drug Store. Main 451.

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JACKSON ST., S., 570—5-room cottage. Call Fairview 2129.

MAFFIT, S., 1095—6-room modern except bathroom. Call 805 Johns Ave.

MARIETTA ST., E., 330—Half of modern duplex house. Main 2362.

MOORE ST., E., 1215—New 5-room modern bungalow. W. F. Pickle. 140 E. Main.

MUELLER AVE., 1150—5-room strictly modern bungalow. Apply 451 Wabash Ave. Main 4478.

UNION ST., N., 1068—6 rooms, thoroughly modern, $45. Main 5859.

WOODFORD ST., N., 2147—4-room part modern house. Apply 451 N. Water. Main 4478.

HOUSE—5 rooms, partly modern, heat, lights and water furnished. Call Main 4354.

NEAR RIVERSIDE SCHOOL—New 4-room house, partly modern, new garage. $28 per month. Inquire 449 S. Main.

WEST SIDE—Very desirably located, modern 6-room cottage. Also 8-room modern house, 2 baths. Main 3588.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

APARTMENT—Small, furnished, modern. No children. Wanted by January 1. Box 234, care Review.

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NILES, L. W.—If you want to sell or trade farm or city property, see me. 116 North Water street, Decatur, Ill.

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WRIGHT, W. G.—Real estate dealer; city property and farm lands sold and exchanged. 413 Millikin Building. Main 980.

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160 ACRE FARM—Good land, fair improvements, one mile from Ohlman on hard road. Price $125 per acre. Edw. F. Marley, Nokomis, Ill.

Houses For Sale. 84

CENTER, E., 518—Well kept 4-room cottage, on full lot with garage. A cozy home for small family. Give us your offer. Phone Main 1100.

CHURCH ST., N.—7-room, all modern, new brick bungalow, breakfast nook, beautiful electric fixtures, built-in bathtub, tile floor, shower bath. Many other built-in features. Double garage. Will sell at a bargain. Call owner, Main 674.

CHURCH ST., N.—$500 down buys dandy five-room, modern bungalow; full lot, garage, price $4,500. W. E. Gregg, 620 Gushard Building. Main 336.

COLLEGE ST., N.—6-room part modern. Full lot. Two-car garage. $3,300. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

DECATUR ST., W.—7 blocks out. Six-room modern cottage. All large rooms. Lot 40x165. Fine chicken park. $4,000. Half cash. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

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EDWARD ST., N.—Close to Grand Ave. 5-room cottage. All modern. Large rooms. Full lot. $5,000. $800 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

EDWARD ST., N.—Six-room modern bungalow. Garage. $5,500. $2,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

EDWARD ST., N.—6 rooms and sleeping porch. Fireplace garage. Full lot East front. A good buy. H. A. Britton, Main 1112.

ELDORADO ST., W.—1100 Blk. 7-room strictly modern. Fireplace. Many built-in features. Garage. $5,200. $1,000 down. Balance terms. S. A. Whitsitt, 543 N. Monroe.

FORREST AVE., W.—A good 6-room modern residence. Corner lot. Room in rear for store or gasoline station. This is a good business deal. Dickerson & Cloney. 200 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2304 office; Main 4750, residence.

GREEN ST., WEST—5-room modern cottage. Paved street. Bargain at $4,000. Terms. Main 1275.

LEAFLAND AVE., E.—Close to Morgan. 8-room part modern. Full lot. $3,250. $1,150 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow. Full lot. Garage. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow. Full lot. Garage. $4,600. $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N., 2080—$300 down, buys a good 6-room part modern house. On corner lot, 40x125. Fine location. House is vacant and ready to move into. A real bargain at $3,000. W. E. Gregg, 620 Gushard Bldg. Main 336.

PACKARD ST., W.—Close in. Six-room modern house. In fine repair. $4,200. $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 1800—6-room cottage, entirely modern, 3 bedrooms, south front, full lot. Pavement paid. Price only $1,500, on terms. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

PRAIRIE AVE., W.—Close in, very nice strictly modern home. If you want something good see this. $12,000. W. R. Schroeder, Main 48 or Fairview 1957.

SEVENTH ST., S.—5-room thoroughly modern bungalow, $3,500. Terms. J. T. Price, Main 6862. 138 E. Prairie.

UNION ST., N.—6 rooms and bath, fully modern. Full lot and garage. East front. Paved street. Fine location. $500 cash, balance easy. Call me, if looking for a home. L. W. Niles, Main 881.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale. 84

CLOSE IN—Throw away your coal shovel and settle down to real comfort in this 7-room modern house, on city heat. Only 4 blocks from the heart of the city. No street car fare. No railroad crossings to keep you waiting for your meals. Priced right and a splendid investment. M. E. Harvel, M. 2720, 313 N. Main St.

EAST—3 modern 5-room bungalows and one 3-room cottage on or near pavement. $1,000 down, balance monthly. Hazenfield & Holt, 211 N. Main. M. 1160.

EAST PART—On paved street. 5-room cottage. Part modern. Close to school and car line. Two full city lots, $2,750. $300 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

EAST PART—5-room cottage. Near modern. Hardwood floors. Full garage. $2,850. Will take vacant lot in north part as first payment. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE—Modern in good shape and has a hot water heating plant. Glass enclosed sun porch. Nice living room. Cozy kitchen and bath. Airy bedroom. A good buy at $4,000. M. E. Harvell M. 2720. 313 N. Main St.

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NORTH PART—New 5-room bungalow. Part modern. Full lot. $2,750. $250 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTH PART—7 rooms. On full lot [illegible]000. $200 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTH SIDE—6-room modern cottage, for $4,000. Can arrange easy terms. W. F. Pickle, 140 E. Main St. Main 7022.

NORTH WEST—Brick veneer bungalow. Completely modern. On paved street. A wonderful buy. $5,000. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTH WEST—Six-room house. Water, lights, gas. Full corner lot. Garage. $3,250. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTH WEST—4-room cottage. Part modern. Full lot. $2,500. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTHWEST—5-room colonial bungalow has fireplace, large rooms, many other conveniences, $2,250, $850 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTHWEST—5 rooms, all modern and garage. Full lot. Paved street. Nice front porch. Some shrubbery. Good neighborhood. $4,800. Part cash. Balance monthly. H. A. Britton, Main 1112.

NORTHWEST—5-room, new bungalow. Hardwood floors. Full lot, garage. $500 down. Fairview 1949.

NORTHWEST—7-room modern house, 1 block from Edward car. It's a bargain at $4,650. Owner leaving city and must sell. See me at once. W. F. Pickle, 140 E. Main St. Main 7022.

SOUTH SIDE—4 rooms, bath and sun room. All modern. Full south front lot. Hot water heating plant, a dandy. Will exchange for a 5-room house and pay the difference in cash, or will sell. H. A. Britton. Main 1112.

WEST—4 blocks west of post office. Five-room modern cottage. Sleeping porch and garage. $3,500. $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WEST SIDE—New 5-room modern bungalow. Hardwood floors. Built-in features. $5,250. $700 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

$300 DOWN—Buys three-room cottage northeast part, full lot, electric lights, gas, fruit in yard. Price $2,000. E. F. Drobisch [illegible] 116 Merchant St. Main 2047.

Lots For Sale. 85

LAKE FRONT LOT—[illegible] between E. William and [illegible] front, corner lot. Owner leaving, will sacrifice. Phone Fairview 2192.

Suburban For Sale. 87

5 ACRE TRACT—Very desirably located on N. Water St. hard road, close in. If you want a nice five acre tract close to Decatur, in fine community. See this. Call Main 2544.

ONE ACRE—Close in. Well improved. Call Main 2202, after 6 p. m.

TWENTY ACRES—West Main; [illegible] 5, 10, 20 acres North Water; 40, 60, 80, 120, 160, 200, 320-acre farms; all good; many more. A. C. Allen, 145 Merchant street. Main 427.

Real Estate For Exchange. 88

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE—Modern in Decatur, to trade for Mt. Vernon property. For sale reasonable. Address Owner Box 88, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

WEST SIDE—New modern bungalow for large house, close in. C. M. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. Main 3270.

WILL TAKE—Vacant lot in north[illegible] part as first payment on a home. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

Wanted—Real Estate. 89

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR HOUSE—See me. Just call M. 2720 or come to 313 N. Main St. and let's talk it over. If there is a buyer for your house I'll find him.

PROPERTY WANTED—Our improved selling system brings immediate sales for your property if the price is right. Phone Main 963 and our listing agent will be at your service. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Building. Main 963.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices. 91

NOTICE TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received on or before December 10, 2:00 p. m., for the erection of an elementary school building for the Board of Education Decatur, Illinois. Plans and specifications can be obtained at the office of Brooks, [illegible] & Dague, Architects, Decatur, Illinois.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of Robert B. Andrews deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Robert B. Andrews, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the February term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1924.

MATILDA H. ANDREWS, Executrix.

Vail, Pogue & Allen, Attorneys.

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FIRE WAS INCENDIARY IS BELIEF

State Officials Run Down Many Clues in Sullivan $50,000 Blaze.

(Special to The Review)

Sullivan, Dec. 2.—Two assistant state fire marshals are here working on clues connected with the over $50,000 fire which burned two of Sullivan's best buildings early Monday morning. They are George O. Land of Tuscola and E. S. Ryan of Peoria.

Sullivan people generally believe the fire to have been of incendiary origin. The state officials will not go further than to admit that it looks suspicious. But they have tried to establish a possible motive for incendiarism. They are at work on several clues and hope to have more information within twenty-four hours.

TAXI "MYSTERY CAR.

The report of a car speeding away from the buildings about the time the fire was discovered has been proved not to have any significance.

It has been established that Henry Cummings drove his taxicab from the hotel. He was going fast to get some would-be passengers to the train.

Later it was Henry Cummings who hauled the fire engine to the fire, when he was called up at the hotel and asked to do so.

The chemicals were not used as the hammer to break the tank could not be found when the fire truck reached the fire.

SCOUTS INCENDIARISM.

Isaac Pickerson, blacksmith located in the building adjoining the armory on the east, scouts the theory of incendiary origin for the costly blaze. He thinks the fire started from the furnace or was due to carelessness, and insists it must have been of internal origin.

Clark Smith, commander of the headquarters company of the First Battalion, occupying the armory, hasn't made up his mind about the origin of the fire.

TWO OTHER BLAZES.

Mr. Smith recalls a couple of instances when fire started in the coal supply in the basement of the building. Once the incipient blaze was noticed immediately. Another time smoke drifted through the wall into the office of the theater building.

The coal bin was filled to the roof. Twenty-two tons had been ordered but 50 tons were delivered, and this pile mounted to the ceiling of the basement.

FLOOR WAS HOT.

When Mr. Smith broke in a door and went into the burning building hoping to save his papers, he found the floor so hot that he could not bear to walk on it. This strengthens the theory of the origin of the fire being in the basement.

Several people are reported to have seen kerosene oil flowing down the driveway. Mr. Smith was on the spot soon after the discovery of the fire. He says he saw no oil flowing and got no kerosene odor.

FORMERLY GARAGE.

Mr. Pickerson, the blacksmith, recalls that the armory had been used formerly as a garage and wonders if the floor didn't soak up a lot of oil and grease from this usage, which would come out in the heat.

Mr. Smith also says that the armory floor had been used for dances and basketball games and that the floor had been oiled.

HUNT MOTIVE.

While the state officials are running down every possible clue, they are trying to find any motive for the burning of the buildings, arguing that there must be the foundation of a motive to cause anybody to start such a fire.

FROM THE RUINS.

J. D. Ritchie owner of the Jefferson, at present does not know whether he will reenter into the show business here or not.

The fifty tons of coal in the basement of the armory were aflame during the day of Monday.

The Sullivan Community Club met Monday morning to discuss several situations in regard to water. A committee of Chester Horn, Fred Wiedner, Ed. C. Brandenburger, F. W. McPheeters, Frank Witts and J. L. McLaughlin were appointed on a water committee to look after the water interests in Sullivan immediately. This committee met Monday night to discuss the problems.

Dr. W. P. Davidson whose office was destroyed by fire on Monday morning has moved his fixtures into the office formerly occupied by Dr. Williamson on West Harrison street.

NEWS FROM THE SICK

Word from the bedside of Miss Harriett Zoe Conard, supervisor of the grades in Decatur, who underwent a major operation in the Mayo Brothers hospital in Rochester, Minn., is very encouraging. Miss Sarah Mark Imboden, who was with her at the time of the operation will remain there for several days.

Sorority Bazaar.

Appropriate gifts for holiday gifts will be on sale at the bazaar to be held by the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority Wednesday, Dec. 3, in the Augustine and Oplinger store. Home-made candies and bakery goods of all kinds will be on sale.

Smoking Furnace.

The fire department answered a call to the residence of Mrs. Edmund Hall, 405 North Mercer street, Tuesday afternoon at 1:55. A smoking furnace filled the house with smoke but there was no damage.

MACON COUNTY HEREFORDS TOP CHICAGO MARKET

William Barnes, Jr., of Decatur (Macon County) Ill., put a new top on finished cattle at the Chicago market on Nov. 26, when he realized $13.50 a hundred for a shipment. It consisted of 22 head which averaged 1,034 pounds. They were Highland Texas Herefords which had been on feed with the idea of showing them at the International, but the owner decided to sell when he lost three steers in the lot through an accident, which spoiled the load.

The steers were bought last fall in a local auction averaging 340 pounds and cost $26.50 per head, so they show a heavy gain in weight and advance in price. They were fed corn, oil meal and alfalfa and clover hay. The market had 17,000 cattle on sale the day he cashed his shipment, which makes it all the more an achievement.

NO SUFFERING AT NIANTIC YET

Red Cross to Help When It Is Needed.

OTHERS INVESTIGATE

Miss Ada Niedermeyer At Scene Today.

There is no immediate need for help for the miners at Niantic, according to word received in Decatur, Tuesday afternoon, by the Red Cross, whose secretary, Mrs. Inez Bender is keeping in close touch with the situation and has been all the time since last week.

When the first stories of the condition of the miners came in Mrs. Bender had an investigation made at Niantic and learned then that there was no need for the Red Cross to come to the assistance of the miners at that time. She kept in touch with the situation and Tuesday learned that the same condition prevailed. It was stated that there may be an isolated case of suffering among the miners but the people of Niantic have been watching the situation themselves and there has been relief given and the wives of the miners have been offered work.

HELP WHEN NEEDED.

For this reason the Red Cross sees no reason to go in there with aid but the minute that the need is seen it will do what it has intended to do from the first and jump to the assistance of any who need help. The investigations made were by Carl Pritchett who made his reports according to the word given out from the Red Cross office.

Miss Ada Niedermeyer of the Social Service office went to Niantic Tuesday afternoon to make similar investigations for persons who have taken an interest in the situation there.

NAMING SCHOOL STIRS INTEREST

"Johns Hill" Traditional Name in Decatur.

Some good arguments are being heard concerning the suggestion that the 32-room graded school for which the board of education is asking bids might be called "The Jane M. Johns School."

It was stated in The Review Monday that the grade school building is not likely to be called "The Johns Hill School."

"Either that school or the future junior high school on the peak of the hill ought to be called 'The Johns Hill School'," said one interested citizen Tuesday. "It's all right to incorporate the name 'Johns' in the name of a school out on that tract. But it doesn't seem right to name any individual member of the Johns family."

HILL KNOWN TO ALL.

Then the "old timer" went on to say that the location is known to everybody in Decatur as Johns Hill, which it has been called since 1851. The brick house on the peak of the hill has been there as long as most Decatur people can remember. "Johns Hill" has been a community phrase for several generations.

"Schools should carry a neighborhood idea rather than an individual name into the future. Putting individual names on schools simply makes them ponderous, hard to remember and causes them soon to be abbreviated, as in the case of the Durfee school and the French school."

It is known that S. W. Johns and other descendants of the late Mrs. Jane M. Johns think that any school built on the old Johns land would be more appropriately named "Johns Hill School" than to have such a school named "The Jane M. Johns School."

FAMILY PROMINENCE.

Mrs. Johns left her impress on the community as a result of her many active years here. Dr. H. C. Johns, her husband, organized the first Illinois agricultural association and was second president of the organization. His son, W. C. Johns, was circuit judge at the time of his death. Other members of the Johns' family have been prominent in Decatur.

"It is appropriate enough to have the 'Johns' in the name of a school located on the Johns land," as another man put it. "But let Mrs. Jane M. Johns be honored along with the rest of the family, in carrying on the traditional name of the site, which has always been called Johns Hill."

To Serve Dinner.

Sons of Veterans auxiliary will serve dinner in the G. A. R. hall Wednesday from 11:30 to 1 o'clock.

COMMUNITY CHEST FUND AT $74,000

Few Subscriptions Continue to Come.

KIWANIS CLUB HELPS

Takes Cards to Call on More People.

A few straggling returns amounting to about $500 brought the total subscription to the Community Chest to $74,000 Tuesday noon. Among them was a ten dollar bill received by mail in an envelope with a woman's hand-writing but carrying no name or address.

The Kiwanis Club was assigned a considerable number of cards at its meeting Tuesday noon, and volunteers were given the duty of interviewing the prospective subscribers.

CLOSE OFFICE WEDNESDAY.

The office of the Community Chest campaign in the Orlando Hotel will close Wednesday night, and all records moved to the permanent office in the Association of Commerce quarters, in the Citizens' Bank building. Request is again made that workers bring in all cards to headquarters before Wednesday night.

Among those who increased their subscription last week, but whose name was omitted from the list, were Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris, who gave an additional $50 to the $100 previously subscribed. Another name omitted by mistake was that of W. B. Hanks, who gave $15.

H. W. Metzler and Sons subscribed for $150 Tuesday noon.

PUZZLE MAKING CONTEST POPULAR

20 Received and Entries Close Wednesday.

With The Review's Cross-Word Puzzle Making contest set to close at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, twenty puzzles had been received up to noon Tuesday.

Every mail is bringing in new entries. One man drove to Decatur from a town twenty miles away, Tuesday morning, to present his puzzle in person and to make sure of its not being lost. Another woman called up to say that she was sending her puzzle by paid messenger and she asked the puzzle editor to watch for him.

WINNERS SUNDAY.

Interest is keen in the award of the prizes. Some of the people who have entered puzzles have asked if they could know the winners in advance of publication Sunday. They were told that no announcements would be made until Sunday's issue of The Review, when the first prize winning puzzle will be printed, and the list of awards will be announced.

READY TO JUDGE.

The judges have their dictionaries encyclopaedias and books of reference all ready. A glance at the puzzles submitted shows that some of them will take a lot of work in solution.

Don't fail to get your puzzles to The Review office before 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. No entries that arrive after that hour can be considered.

GROTTO INITIATES EIGHT MEMBERS

Date Not Set For Christmas Party.

A very pretty ceremonial was held by the Zohak Grotto Monday night, when eight men were initiated by the short form ceremony. There was a good turnout at the meeting, with approximately 200 men present.

The ceremonial was followed by a stunt program, put on by Clifford Morrow, Bob Witzeman and Ira Busher.

GIVE PROGRAM.

Curtis Busher sang some new songs, accompanied on the piano by Harry Barber. The Grotto orchestra, directed by Leon Monson and Harry Barber, furnished music throughout the evening.

Short talks were made by George Wood, past potentate of the Ansar Shrine of Springfield, Rev. R. E. Henry, Dr. J. T. McDavid, V. L. Clendenny monarch of the Zohak Grotto, Charles F. Crooks, and by each one of the candidates.

CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The date for the Christmas kiddies party is not yet determined. All of the committees on the party are at work, however, making plans for a good entertainment and program.

The program will consist of dances mostly by children.

A collection was taken to raise money for the party. About $150 has been secured for this purpose to date.

Zohak Grotto will hold its regular annual election of officers on Jan. 8 and the installation will be about Feb. 1.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loggins, 2121 East Marietta street, Dec. 2, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Willis Blackburn, 1138 South Jasper street, Dec. 2, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, 606 South Webster street, Dec. 1, in the St. Mary's hospital, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Gherna, 324 East King street, Dec. 2, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, a daughter.

COMMONS REELECTS WHITLEY SPEAKER

London, Dec. 2—(AP)—The recently elected British house of commons assembled this afternoon and unanimously ... Whitley as speaker. He has been speaker ...

Start Drilling New Oil Well

Fourth One Goes Down Near Bearsdale.

The Meister Co., of Tuscola, oil well drillers expected to start at 3 o'clock Tuesday to drill in the fourth oil well in the Decatur district for the Powers, Stephenson and other interests. It is not the Lincoln Gas and Oil Co.

The new well is located half a mile south and a half mile west of Bearsdale and is about two miles from the site of Lincoln well No. 3.

WORK ASKS FOR 31 MILLION LESS

Interior Department Budget Shows Decrease.

Washington, Dec. 2—A total of $238,000,000 or $31,000,000 less than the amount made available last year was carried in the interior department supply bill as reported today to the house. First of the appropriation bills to receive committee approval, its figures were well under the budget estimates.

Outstanding differences from the bill passed last year are reductions of $25,500,000 for army and navy pensions, made possible by a shrinkage in the number of pensioners; $4,300,000 for reclamation service; $1,000,000 for the Indian service and $600,000 under the general land office. An increase of $672,000 was shown for the Alaska railroad.

WILL MAKE CHANGES.

The bill will carry out recommendations of the interior department for abolition of the office of surveyor general and consolidation of his work with the field survey service, a change which would directly result in a saving of $167,000. This plan would also call for the abolition of thirty-nine land offices and do away with the position of receiver at the remaining offices, at an estimated savings of $255,000.

THE DIVISIONS

The bill carries $199,095,000 for the pension office; $11,883,270 for the bureau of Indian affairs: $8,343,000 for the reclamation bureau: $3,167,409 for the national park service: $2,801,600 for the patent office; $2,583,590 for the general land office; $1,908,637 for government in the territories and the Alaska railroad; $1,881,560 for the bureau of mines; $1,637,760 for the geological bureau and $794,495 for the bureau of education.

D. H. S. PREPARING FOR DEBATE JAN. 16

To Meet Danville on Phillipine Independence.

Preliminaries for a debate with Danville high school on Jan. 16, will be held at the high school on Dec. 15. "Resolved: The Phillipines should be granted independence at once" is the question for debate.

Fifty boys and girls are wanted to try out for the debate as a new team will have to be picked. Unfortunately none of the debaters on last year's team are in the high school this year.

Debates are now being held in a number of the English classes of the school and it is thought that the quota will be filled. Mr. Beath is in charge of the preliminaries.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The Observer, the school paper will be put out on Friday of this week. The next issue, which will come out on the 13th will be the Christmas issue. It will be a ten page affair, two more pages than regularly published.

Both Boys' and Girls' Glee Club on the school will rehearse Wednesday evening. Attendance will be taken.

The Dramatic Club is working hard on the annual play, "The Romancers." Rehearsals are being held at 7:30 almost every morning. Miss Fike, the advisor on the club, is supervising the play.

SEND GORE'S NAME UP FOR APPROVAL

Coolidge Forwards Score of Recommendations.

Washington, Dec. 2—Several score of nominations, many of them covering appointments made during the recess of congress were sent to the capitol today by President Coolidge.

The nominations included those of Howard M. Gore, of West Virginia to secretary of agriculture. W. J. Carr, New York and John Van A. MacMurray, New Jersey, assistant secretaries of state; James Rockwell Sheffield, New York, ambassador to Mexico and Edgar A. Bancroft, Illinois ambassador to Japan.

Other nominations included:

Assistant Attorney General W. J. Donovan, New York.

MEETINGS

Independence camp No. 4031, Royal Neighbors of America—Regular meeting in the Woodman hall, 153½ West Main, at 7:30 Tuesday evening. Election of officers.

The St. Johannes Ladies' Aid society will meet at 1018 North Calhoun street, the home of Mrs. Amelia Dehrent, who died Sunday, to attend Mrs. Behrend's funeral. They will meet at 1:45 Wednesday afternoon.

Fern Leaf Temple, No. 18, Pythian Sisters will meet Wednesday for an all day quilting and pot-luck luncheon in the hall at Edward and William streets.

C. D. of A.—At 8 o'clock tonight at the K. of C. hall.

Great Light Lodge, No. 1064, A. F. and A. M.—Stated meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the Masonic Temple.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

... Clifton ... 21
... Ployon ... 20

STALEY CLUB NOT TO CONSIDER PINES

Organizations Look for New Quarters.

OFFER CLINIC ROOM

Want to Secure Roach School for Work.

The Staley Fellowship club has no further interest in The Pines property, according to statements by A. E. Staley and Charles A. Keck, president of the club, Tuesday morning. The Staley organization is not considering buying that property or any portion of it, at least at the present time.

The Fellowship club has no definite plans for a club house or recreational center for the Staley people, but there are some tentative plans under consideration.

LOOKING FOR QUARTERS.

Although Joseph Schoenle, purchaser of The Pines property, has promised to allow the people now using The Pines to continue to do so until the first of the year, all of the organizations are looking for new quarters.

BABY CLINIC.

The Pines baby clinic will not meet there after this week if another place can be found, according to Mrs. E. J. Moreland, president of the city federation of the Parent Teachers association, Tuesday morning. The St. Paul's Methodist and the Seventh Street Christian churches have offered to let the clinic meet in their buildings, but an attempt is being made to procure the Roach school.

"It is a much better place for a clinic to be held, since the mothers will go to a school better than to a church," said Mrs. Moreland.

NO PLANS FOR LIBRARY.

Mrs. Alice G. Evans of the Decatur public library had no plans for the Pines branch of the library yet Tuesday morning.

"We will leave the library there as long as we can, until we find another place for it," she said.

An effort is being made to find a new location for the branch.

The various church organizations also are moving from The Pines, and some have already made plans to meet in their own churches.

There was nothing scheduled at the Pines after Dec. 1, E. J. Muffley director of The Pines, said Tuesday.

CLUB WORK SHOULD GO ON

"I would like to carry on the boys and girls club work," said Mr. Muffley. "The Hi-Y club is made up of a fine group of boys and I certainly would like to see this club continue its work.

"All of the young people's club work should be continued if it is at all possible."

UNTIL JAN. 1.

W. H. Duerr, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Decatur, said Tuesday that the Y. M. C. A. would leave its equipment at The Pines until Jan. 1, and that Mr. Muffley would be kept there to carry on the work that can be continued.

NOW $110 IN M'COOL FUND

Jewelers Make Donations Monday.

The McCool reward fund was given another boost Monday when Will Post brought in to The Review office the sum of $24.50 which had been collected among the jewelers mostly, for the fund. The donors were as follows:

H. Post and Sons	$7.00
Frank Curtis & Co.	5.00
Holtz & Co.	3.50
J. E. Yoke	2.00
E. E. Barber	2.00
Heil, McClimans	2.00
Powers brothers	3.00

This brought the total amount of money in the hands of The Review for this fund up to $110.50.

THREE CALLS FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT

Small Blaze In Staley Office Building.

The fire department answered three calls Tuesday morning.

The department was called to the Staley office building Tuesday morning at 6:55. Mops, papers and some rubbish which had accumulated caught fire by some unknown cause and the fire scorched the woodwork.

The department was called to the C. E. Fullenwider's residence, 1420 North Edward street, Tuesday morning at 9:05 to extinguish a roof fire. The damage amounted to about $200 damage.

On account of some trash in a cold air duct in the M. E. Jones home, 335 South New street, a fire was started and the fire department was called Tuesday morning. There was practically no damage.

DISCUSS OPENING OF ELEVENTH ST.

Ira W. Clokey Offers Land if City Acts.

The city officials with the city engineer Monday discussed in executive session the proposed opening of Eleventh street across the C. I. & W. right of way to join on to the Nelson Park drive. It has been proposed that this street be opened and Ira Clokey who owns the triangular strip to the west of the proposed road property owners on the east have agreed to give a right of way through if the opening is authorized, it is understood.

No definite action was decided upon in the Monday conference, according to Mayor Elder.

MANY TONSIL CASES IN DURFEE SCHOOL

Report on Examination of Children.

More tonsil than teeth defects were found by the city health director and the nurses, among the pupils of the H. B. Durfee school. This is an unusual condition as in the greater number of schools the teeth defects run much the higher. There were 466 dental defects and 538 tonsil defects. The number of tonsil cases in Decatur is exceptionally high, according to Dr. Keister, as are other throat troubles.

517 VACCINATED.

Of the 70 children examined in the school, a total of 517 had been vaccinated. The children in the first and second grades usually are the ones having the lowest percentage of vaccinations.

OTHER DEFECTS.

Underweights numbered 262, the number not including those that are only slightly underweight. Visual troubles were found in fifty-four pupils and there were forty-six other eye troubles. Hearing defects numbered thirty-six, which is high for the grades as these do not develop, as a rule, until later in life. The mouth breathers, which usually mean adenoids, were ninety-one. Seven heart cases were found, which also is high, and three cases of lung trouble, as well as twenty-five orthopaedic cases, which includes spinal curvatures, defects of the feet, and posture. Eight children were found with nervous defects, and a total of 432 was found with the thyroid glands slightly enlarged, while thirteen were serious enough to demand looking after as soon as possible.

ORCHESTRA PLAYS FOR KIWANIANS

J. M. Allen New Member; Hear Talk on Art.

A spirited meeting of business and entertainment was held by the Kiwanis Club at the Orlando Hotel Tuesday noon. The feature fun number was Walter Davison and his Louisville Loons, a de luxe jazz orchestra now appearing at the Empress Theater, and lent for the occasion by the kindness of Manager Elmer Jerome.

The musicians held the stage for twenty minutes, pouring forth a pleasing pot pourri of syncopation that gave everyone a prolonged tickling of the feet. "That Wooden Whistle," "Some Little Bug Will Get You," and "That's My Gal" were received with unrestrained applause. A tuneful finale was given with "Sweet Rosie O'Grady" and "Maizie," with the expectation that the audience would join in the singing. Mr. Davison thought for a moment that it was the Rotary Club.

J. M. ALLEN NEW MEMBER.

J. M. Allen was introduced as a new member, and welcomed formally by H. W. McDavid, district governor, on behalf of the Kiwanis club, who expressed the affection of the community for "Jim" as one of Decatur's most loyal and public-spirited citizens. Mr. Allen responded by reading a post-card from Dr. Will Barnes depicting the Dead Sea, which he stated "might be of interest to all of you Democrats."

METZLER PRESIDENT.

The report of the nominating committee was accepted unanimously by the club, and the following new officers were thus elected:

President—A. M. Metzler.

Vice-president—Dr. G. A. Papperman.

Secretary—Russell Rainey.

District trustee—R. O. Augur.

These officers, with the exception of Dr. Papperman, will attend the conference of the Illinois-Eastern Iowa District at Chicago on Friday, Dec. 5, as delegates of the Decatur club.

ADDRESS ON ART.

Roy C. Haines, who is in Decatur this week in connection with the exhibit from the Conklin Art Galleries of Aurora, at the Art Institute, made an address on "Art as a Community Project."

"A duty and a responsibility equally as great as accepting and discharging civic obligations along commercial, trade, and industrial lines," said Mr. Haines, "is the taking of art to the people and the bringing of people to art. Civic clubs are now accepting the principle that art and music form an important part of the program for making a city a better place in which to live and work.

"In Decatur, the Art Institute is the community agency for the promotion of art. The community collection idea, however, can be better carried on by the Association of Commerce, the Woman's Club, the luncheon clubs, and like organizations. Yet all these should support the Art Institute. The incorporation of art into the balanced community program will give us America the beautiful."

Sues For Divorce.

Lloyd Latch has filed a bill for divorce from Beatrice Latch. They were married Feb. 26, 1919, and lived together till June 20, 1922. He charges her with desertion and infidelity.

Physician's Statement.

The attending physician, instead of the coroner, pronounced the death of Edward Boessler due to blood poisoning.

To Hold Bazaar.

The Ladies Aid of the First United Brethren church will have a bazaar all day Friday in Weilepp and Stuckey's furniture store.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

LAKE LEVEL.

The lake level at noon Tuesday was 610.025, the same as Monday mark.

MOUND UNIT.

The Mound unit of the Home Bureau will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wyeth, 2060 West Decatur street. The meeting day was changed from Wednesday.

WORK ON FRANCHISE.

The city council has not yet completed the full discussion of city attorney Lee Boland's draft of the street car franchise, but expected to finish some time Tuesday after which a copy of the draft will be forwarded to C. C. LeForgee, attorney for the I. P. & L. for his consideration before a joint conference determines upon the final terms.

CALLS FOR NURSES.

Calls for the visiting nurses ... be placed at the Tuberculosis ... Visiting Nurses' office as has been the case in the past. Since Dr. Keister has moved into this office and a secretary is present there will be some one there at all times to take the calls. Requests for nurses should be left with her.

$5 FOR MRS. SCHIKOWSKI

Another gift for the benefit of Mrs. Schikowski, mother of Fred Schikowski, who was killed by a ... a week ago, was left at The Review Monday. It was a five dollar bill. Last Saturday a gift of $1 for Mrs. Schikowski was left at The Review office.

REALTORS MEET TONIGHT

Realtors will meet at dinner in the Y. M. C. A. annex Tuesday evening for their annual meeting and to hear Joseph K. Britton of Chicago, president of the brokers loan board. The election of officers for the organization will be held at the Thursday noon luncheon on account of the appearance of Mr. Britton.

NEW DODGE PRICES

New price reductions in Dodge ... have been announced, effective at once. The new prices are: ... $935; touring car $970, coupe $1,... Type A sedan, $1,360; Type B sedan $1,200.

WARREN PROGRAM TONIGHT

Members of the Fathers' and Mothers' clubs of the Warren school will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the school building. All members are urged to be in attendance. A delightful program will be given.

FIND HAWK

An extra large broad ... solitary hawk was brought into The Review office Tuesday morning by Ralph Liston, 960 South Broadway. The hawk was twenty inches long and had a wing spread of fifty-... inches. It has a grayish brown back, streaked on the throat and breast, and barred below with rusty brown. The tail has three blackish bars.

Ralph found the bird at the dump near Maffit and Marion streets. J. J. Ainsler was with him when he brought it to The Review.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETS

The St. Johannes Sewing Circle will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Anna Hahn, 1362 North Broadway.

SEWING CIRCLE

The Sewing Circle of the St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet all day Thursday in the Pines. It is urged that all members come in the morning prepared to finish a quilt for the bazaar. Each member is to bring her own quilting needle and a spool of number forty white thread. Mrs. Fred Kipp and Mrs. Henry Kleinsmit are hostesses.

ELECT TONIGHT

The local detachment of the Marine corps will elect officers at a meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night.

COMMONS CLUB

The Commons club will ... at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night.

MAIL PILES UP; NOT ENOUGH HELP

Local Postoffice Points to U. S. Statement.

On the last page of Monday's Review appeared a story of the ... increase in number of carriers ... ed the Decatur postoffice and the statement that the postal department could not allow more in accordance with the recommendation of the postal inspectors because of the ... of practicing economy.

On the front page of the ... issue appeared a story of Postmaster General New stating that the postal department had effected a great saving in finances during the year without impairing the service. He is quoted as saying that the present administration conceives it to be its first duty to render satisfactory service and if the public doesn't receive such service, it is no answer to ... that expenditures have been kept within the revenues.

MAIL PILED UP

Due to the limited force at the Decatur postoffice, there were perhaps fifty sacks of mail piled up on the postoffice floor Tuesday morning and enough accumulation of mail on hand at the time to use up all of the extra allowance for overtime work for the entire week. With the extra time allowance used up, the rest of the week's mail, should it be heavy will just have to be delayed.

The receipts for the Decatur post office for the month of November were $24,562.85 as compared with $25,351.28 in November, 1923. However in November of last year there was about $1,500 worth of outside magazine business which the postoffice here doesn't get any more. These receipts are considered very good in view of the fact that there were five Sundays, an election day, Armistice day and Thanksgiving day in the month.

MAKE RAILROADS BOULEVARD STOPS

Litchfield Trying Out New Kind of Ordinance.

AVOID ACCIDENTS

One in Ten Slows Down in Decatur.

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GOV. SMALL LOSES FIGHT

Springfield Ill. Dec. 2.—Gov. Small lost his fight to have the interest money suit ... referred to a second master in chancery here afternoon when Circuit Judge ... Burton refused to ... his ... of ten days ago ... suppress the report of Master in Chancery Charles Briggle ...

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